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## OHIO STATE NEWS.

### Dispatches From Different Buckeye Towns.

### A PUBLIC INVESTIGATION.

**A Commission Inquiring Into Alleged Irregularities in the Office of Chief Inspector of Workshops McDonald. Other Ohio State News.**

COLUMBUS, O., May 23.—The commission appointed by Governor McKinley to investigate the irregularities in the office of Chief Inspector of Workshops McDonald had a meeting yesterday. Mr. McDonald at a private conference, urged a secret session but the commission decided in favor of a public investigation. Four witnesses were examined.

Thomas Yager of Portsmouth was the first witness. He presented a statement of expense account from June 1, 1892, to Nov. 15, 1892. It agreed with the auditor of state's report of money drawn by McDonald, and the total was only $180.

The other three inspectors who testified had expense accounts of $500. John Ellis of Columbus was credited with $1,192 for expenses during the last year, and he claimed he had only about $600. He had destroyed his memorandum.

Messrs. Bath of Elyria and Matthews of Zanesville also destroyed their memorandums and they couldn't tell whether they received all the money drawn by Mr. McDonald for their traveling expenses or not.

### COULD NOT LIVE TOGETHER.

**So He Killed His Wife and Then Shot Himself.**

DAYTON, O., May 23.—Al Weidner and wife could not get along well together so they separated at Muncie, Ind., three months ago, and Mrs. Weidner came here to live with here mother.

Yesterday Weidner arrived and went to the old lady's house, demanding his share of the furniture that his wife had taken.

Mrs. Weidner's mother refused to give anything up and Weidner pulled a revolver and pointed it at the old lady.

Mrs. Weidner exclaimed, "Oh, do not shoot mother." Whereupon Weidner turned and shot his wife in the breast. She ran screaming into the house and he shot her in the back, and she fell dead.

Weidner then placed the pistol to his own head and shot himself dead.

**Objecting to Lang's Pardon.**

COLUMBUS, O., May 23.—A protest is to be made against the proposition made by the physician of the penitentiary to the pardon of Pascal Lang because of failing health. Lang is serving an eight-year sentence for an infamous crime committed in Brown county, and, because the penitentiary does not agree with him, it is now proposed to let him out. A delegation of citizens of Brown county came up yesterday for the purpose of impressing upon Governor McKinley their objection to the extending of any clemency.

**Farmer Beaten to Death.**

SPRINGFIELD, O., May 23.—George German, a farmer at Durbin, this county, died from injuries received in a brutal assault made on him by his hired hand, Milt Fathers, who is now under arrest. The two had a quarrel in the barn, and Fathers, after using a curry comb with horrible effect on German's face, got him down and stamped on him. Fathers also beat German's wife, who came to the rescue.

**Fire at Middletown, O.**

MIDDLETOWN, O., May 23.—The entire plant of the Middletown Pump works was destroyed by a fire which started in the drying kiln. Only the books in the office were saved. After a hard fight the adjoining property was saved. William Spect and John Haggard, volunteer firemen, were severely hurt by falling walls. Loss $70,000; insurance $50,000. About 150 men are thrown out of work.

**Convict Tries to Kill a Guard.**

COLUMBUS, O., May 23.—Charles Wolfe, a three-year man from Preble county, sent up for horse stealing, tried to kill E. H. Hester, a guard at the penitentiary. Hester, who is a brother of the late clerk of the supreme court, reported Wolfe for punishment, and out of revenge the latter threw a heavy piece of iron at the guard, missing him, but striking another convict, who was badly wounded.

**Ohio Postmasters.**

WASHINGTON, May 23.—The following postmasters were appointed in Ohio yesterday: I. L. Britton, vice J. S. Trey, Adelaide, Marion county; J. P. Cogney, vice G. P. Owen, Catawba Island, Ottawa county; J. W. Rose, vice W. C. West, Diamond, Portage county.

**Farmers' Work Delayed.**

PORTSMOUTH, O., May 23.—The Scioto river is again on the boom, showing a stage of over 35 feet. The farmers are thrown back in planting, which will give a very late crop, with probably poor results.

**Trackwalker Killed.**

TIFFIN, O., May 23.—Mathias Wahler, a trackwalker on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, sat down to rest on the ties three miles east of this city, and was struck and instantly killed by a passing train.

**Glass Works Burned.**

TIFFIN, O., May 23.—The Beattley glass works was burned yesterday. The plant was entirely consumed. The loss is over $200,000 and is insured.

**Died on His Way to Church.**

SANDUSKY, O., May 23.—While on his way to church, Hon. John H. Hudson was seized with heart disease and died in four minutes.

**Pulling Down the Blinds.**

ZANESVILLE, O., May 23.—Mayor Silvey has ordered the blinds in saloons left up and the screens removed.

**Brutally Beaten.**

NEWCASTLE, O., May 23.—William Hill was brutally beaten by unknown persons, and may die.

**First Case of Sunstroke.**

NEW YORK, May 23.—Bernard Levi was overcome by heat yesterday while working on a roof. This is the first case this season.

### READING MINERS.

**Wages Cut Down and Some of the Men Quit Work.**

POTTSVILLE, Pa., May 23.—In pursuance of the economic policy of the Reading receivers in connection with President Harris, the first cut in wages announced here for for years has been ordered, but applies only to those who do not come under the regular established $2.50 basis.

At Glen Dower, Taylorsville and other collieries the miners engaged in driving breasts by the yard have been dropped 50 cents per yard and the drivers who formerly received $10.20 will be reduced to $8 per week. A number of the miners were not satisfied with the reduction and left the works. A report gained currency that the wages of the pump men had also been reduced $10 per month.

**Fastest Cruiser in the World.**

GLOUCESTER, Mass., May 23.—The cruiser New York has made the marvelous speed of 21 knots per hour. This record gives the United States the fastest cruising vessel in the world and the Cramps a premium of $200,000. Even the records of the famous Blake and Blenheim are surpassed, the former having made only 19.7 on her trial trip, when she broke down and the latter has never yet been tried over a measured course.

**Shoehouse Assigns.**

CINCINNATI, May 23.—The firm of Cowan & McGrath, at 150 and 252 West Fifth street, which has been in the shoe business, both wholesale and retail, in this city since 1868, has passed into the hands of a receiver. Liabilities, $35,000; assets, $25,000. Cause of the failure was severe competition on the part of larger concerns and dull trade. Samuel Wolfstein, Jr., was appointed receiver.

## WORLD'S CONGRESS.

### Second Series Begun in the Exposition Art Palace.

### MOLDERS OF PUBLIC OPINION.

**Newspaper Men From All Parts of the World Will Meet Together and Exchange Views and Experiences—Vice President Stevenson Visits the Exposition—Other Events at the White City.**

CHICAGO, May 23.—The second of the series of the world's congresses opened yesterday afternoon in the art palace on the lake front. It is that of the press, and for the next six days representative molders of public opinion from all parts of the earth will meet together to exchange views and experiences and enlighten each other regarding the peculiar characteristics of newspaperdom in their respective countries.

In the crowd that flocked through the spacious corridors into the Hall of Columbus there were publishers and editors from England and France, Germany and Austria, Italy and Sweden, Russia, China, Japan, Australia, Switzerland, Turkey, Greece. The newspaper men of the United States turned out in force, including the delegates to the annual convention of the National League of Press Clubs, to the National Editorial association and to the American Newspaper Publishers' association.

The women were also largely represented, the committee on arrangements having wisely decided not to make any distinction between men and women, but to invite both sexes to take part in the general congress.

There will be four separate congresses held during the week, one of the daily press, another of the newspaper women, a third of the religious press and a fourth of the trade press. The women are expected to take up more time than all the rest combined, and so they have been allotted nearly two-thirds of the week. Newspapermen from a dozen or more countries have been assigned to preside over or read papers in the male branch of the congress, but through some unfortunate act of neglect or omission, not a single representative of the editorial and reportorial fraternity of Chicago, numbering over 500 writers, figures on the program, while, on the other hand, in the woman's congress, no less than a dozen local editors and reporters of that sex are assigned to prominent functions.

The congress opened at 2 o'clock with a public reception in the large hall of the palace, President Bonney and the officers of the congress auxiliary, the president of the woman's branch and the committee on arrangements, acting as the hosts of the occasion.

Among the participants was Colonel McClure of Philadelphia, Governor Peck of Wisconsin, A. E. Pirie, president of the Canadian Press association; Walter Williams, president of the National Editorial association; Frederick Villiers of London, the noted war correspondent; Joe Howard of New York, Henry Haynie and Theodore Stanton of Paris, Harrington Fitzgerald of Phihladelphia, Albert Shaw and Murat Halstead, New York; Joseph Dredge, London; Marquis De Chasseloup Laubat, France; H. E. Imperial Chamberlain, P. DeGlouckhovsky, Russia; Dr. Adolfo Ernst, Venezuela; Dr. Carlos R. Gallardo, Argentine Republic; Captain Ad P. Penhem, Brazil, and Professor Dimsha, Russia; Friedrich Lancy Helm, Oesterrichische Volkszeitung, Vienna; Philip Berges, Fremdenblatt, Hamburg; Ludwig Rohmann, Telegraphic Agency, Herald, Frankfort-on-the-Main; Freidrich De-Runburg, Tageblatt, Dr. L. Van Hallo, Correspondent Hamburg; Th. H. Lange, Barmer Zeitung, Barmen, Chris. Burkard, Ueber Land Und Meer, Stuttgart; Peter Banborg, Argentinisches Tageblatt, Buenos Ayres; Dr. Emil Blum, Neue Freie Presse, Vienna; Dr. Keysler, Post, Berlin; Pascal David, Koelnische Zeitung, Cologne; Rudolph Kronaue, Gartenlaub, Leipzig; Richard Bong, Moderne Kunst, Berlin; Julius Loewy, Illustrites Extrablatt, Vienna; Franz X. Bachem, Volkszeitung, Cologne; Wilhelm Bredow, Allgemeine, Zeitung, Munich; Max Horowitz, National Zeitung, Berlin; M. Jokl, Algemeine Zeitung Vienna; W. Manke, Bank Und Handels Zeitung, Berlin; Dr. H. Pratsch, Boersen Zeitung, Berlin; Mrs. Emma Bong, Zur Guten Stunde, Berlin; Mrs. Simon, Nord Und Sued, Brestau; L. H. Wilberding, Schwaebisher Merkur, Stutgart; Herman Hilger, Lokal Anzeiger, Berlin; Dr. Paul Neubauer, Schlesche Zeitung; Brestau; Dr. Henry Kanner, Frank furter Zeitung, Frankfort-on-the-Main; Professor Dr. Isador Singer, Neue Freie Presse, Vienna.

The reception of the afternoon was entirely informal and for that reason perhaps the more enjoyable. In the evening the formal opening of the congress took place at the Hall of Columbus. There were five speeches of greeting and responses were made according to the program by the presidents of 38 American national and state press organizations and by newspaper men from 48 foreign lands.

**The Vice President Sees the Show.**

Adlai E. Stevenson, vice president of the United States, visited the exposition yesterday in an informal way. At noon he was escorted into the hall of the national commission by several members and was introduced to a score of the commissioners. A basket of apples was brought in as an offering of an Illinois man and everybody who liked apples dipped his hand in the basket. The vice president did not consider it beneath his dignity to participate in the free dessert, and munched away while surrounded by commissioners chatting on a variety of subjects, including Sunday opening. When the commission had been called to order by Acting President Meyers of Kentucky, Mr. Stevenson said goodby and went out to see more of the fair.

**Commissioners Will Fight.**

The national commission unanimously adopted a resolution providing for an appointment by the president of two members, whose duty it shall be to consult with the United States district attorney at Chicago and assist him in reference to defending the suit begun by C. W. Clingman, an exposition stockholder, to enjoin the directory and South park commissioners from keeping the gates of the fair closed Sunday.

**Only One Band of Music.**

The Chicago band in the administration pavilion furnished the only free music at the fair yesterday. This organization gave the morning open air concert and at its conclusion left the stand, it being the general understanding that Sousa's band would give a concert at half past 11. The band failed to put in an appearance, however, and, as the Cincinnati band was also absent, Professor Loisgang took his men back on the stand and kept them at work all day.

PATENT OFFICE DISPLAY, GOVERNMENT BUILDING.

The Kneisel quartette of Boston gave a recital in the assemblyroom of music hall at 11 a. m. The crowd was only fair.

**Paid Admissions.**

The paid admissions at the fair yesterday were 30,273.

### IRON HALL REORGANIZATION.

**One Branch in Indianapolis and the Other in Philadelphia.**

INDIANAPOLIS, May 23.—In response to a call sent out by ex-Supreme Accountant Walker, the supreme sitting of the Order of the Iron Hall will meet here to reorganize the order. The day is the one fixed by the constitution of the order for the regular meeting of the sitting. It is stated by the local members of the order that the order will be reorganized in accordance with the suggestions made in the opinion of the supreme court.

It is maintained by the attorneys for Somerby that under the decision of the higher court the order may be able to secure possession of its funds if it reorganizes and can show to the lower courts that it is competent to receive the money now in the hands of the receiver.

Mr. Walker said: "There will be a reorganization," said he. "New officers will be elected, and the constitution will be changed. The one-man power will be done away with. I believe the reorganization will be so complete that the lower court can not refuse to turn over to the reorganized order the money on hand."

The supreme sitting to be held here is not the only one that has been called. Ex-Supreme Justice Somerby has issued a call for a meeting in Philadelphia, and the information here is that he and his followers will do about the same thing that the Walker side has decided to do, namely, reorganize and make an effort to get possession of the order's money. It is claimed by the ex-supreme officers of the order here that Somerby has no authority to issue a call for a meeting of the supreme sitting.

It is further alleged that, under the construction of the order, Mr. Somerby has no standing in the order. The constitution provides that any man holding an office in the order who becomes connected with any other order of a similar character forfeits his office in the order. It is recalled by the enemies of Somerby that soon after the appointment of a receiver he established a new Iron Hall, and became an officer in the organization. Walker is confident that the members will nearly all indorse the meeting of the sitting that is to be held here.

"We understand that the result of reorganization by two wings will be a legal fight for the possession of the funds of the order," said Mr. Walker. "We are confident that the supreme sitting called to meet here will be recognized as the legally constituted body by the court, and that the money will be transferred to it for disbursement under the rules of the order."

There is in the hands of the receiver something over three-quarters of a million dollars, and another quarter of a million is in the hands of state receivers. The attorneys for the order say that unless the reorganization reunites all elements it will be in vain, and that a permanent split will make it impossible for any faction to obtain the money in the receiver's hand.

**Souvenirs From the Czar.**

PHILADELPHIA, May 23.—The Russian minister in a message from Washington to Francis B. Reeves asks that gentleman, and Colonel Biddle and Rudolph Blankenburg to meet him on the Russian flagship Dimitri Donskoy, at this port next Saturday morning at 11 o'clock, when he will present them with souvenirs in the name of the czar. Messrs. Reeves, Biddle and Blankenburg visited Russia last year during the famine and superintended the distribution of the supplies sent by the citizens of Philadelphia on the steamers Indiana and Missouri.

**Base Ball.**

At Louisville—Louisville, 8; Cincinnati, 1.

At Baltimore—Baltimore, 5; New York, 7.

At Boston—Boston, 7; Philadelphia, 9.

At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 4; Washington, 8.

At Chicago—Chicago, 5, Cleveland, 10.

At Pittsburg—Pittsburg, 14; St. Louis,

**Cuban Sugar Season Ended.**

HAVANA, May 23.—The sugar season may now be considered virtually ended, as the yield of the few estates still grinding will have no appreciable effect on the total production. It is estimated that the yield of the whole island will amount to between 750,000 and 800,000 tons, a very large decrease from the average total production.

**Published Ninety-Three Years.**

SALEM, Mass., May 23.—The Salem Register, semi-weekly, established in 1800, and conducted by C. W. Palfrey and E. N. Walton, has announced its suspension in an editorial notice. The senior member is now 80 years old. He has been in active service 55 years and the junior editor since 1855, beginning as a reporter.

**Fatally Injured on the Ball Field.**

RICHMOND, Ind., May 23.—Bert Decker, 15 years old, of this city, was watching a ball game yesterday. The bat slipped from the batter's hands, striking young Decker on the head, fracturing his skull. It will prove fatal.

**Saloons Wrecked.**

ELWOOD, Ind., May 23.—At Frankton the temperence element rose up en masse, swooped down upon the three saloons and literally riddled them, destroying all the contents. The three ringleaders are under arrest.

## THE PRESBYTERIANS

### Second Week of the General Assembly Begun.

### THE BRIGGS CASE BROUGHT UP.

**A Lively Discussion Follows and Then the Subject Is Dropped—Sunday Closing of the World's Fair Occupies the Greatest Part of the Day — Several Committees Report.**

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Rev. Thomas Bracken of Oakeeny, Kan., conducted the half hour devotional exercises with which the second week's session of the Presbyterian general assembly was ushered in.

Promptly at 9:30 Moderator Craig opened the assembly with a word of prayer.

The report of the special committee on Sabbath observance, of which Colonel Elliott F. Shepard was chairman from its inception, submitted its fifth annual report, which was read by Elder W. R. Worrall of the New York Presbytery, Colonel Shepard's private secretary. The committee expressed sorrow at the death of Colonel Shepard. The effort to secure the opening of the world's fair on Sunday was recited, closing with a statement of the vote in congress against it. The present attempt to open the exposition was severely condemned.

The Briggs question then came to the front at a bound, and it did not mitigate the results of the short struggle to know, when it was over, that it was chiefly the result of a misunderstanding. Dr. Young, chairman of the committee on bills and overtures, announced what had been done with a number of overtures from the presbyteries, 12 of them relating to the Briggs case having been referred to the committee on judiciary.

Dr. Young had scarcely ceased speaking when Dr. Herrick Johnson of Chicago inquired what had become of the overture from his presbytery in the Briggs case, which overture besought the assembly to refer this celebrated case back to the synod of New York.

Dr. Thomas C. Hall of Chicago, in sympathy with Dr. Briggs, made a speech in favor of sending all resolutions in the Briggs case to the judiciary committee first, as all would eventually go there.

Elder Eudaly of Cincinnati got the floor, and stated that the assembly had to do simply with the law as it is, not as it ought to be. There was a general parliamentary confusion, various commissioners attempting to get the floor, amid which the announcement was made that the Chicago overture had gone to the judiciary committee.

While the moderator was attempting to put the question, Dr. Johnson remained upon his feet, calling repeatedly. "I claim the right to be heard," his words being received with applause.

Commissioner Catchings of Detroit stated that there was an overture from his presbytery, and in view of that fact he supported the motion to refer all the Briggs overtures to the judiciary committee. He complained that the moderator had not permitted him to speak, although he had been repeatedly upon his feet. Mr. Cutchings said he would appeal from the decision of the chair and was applauded.

Dr. Young, from the platform, asserted that the moderator could not see every man who ought to be seen, and this statement received the vigorous applause of the anti-Briggs people.

Mr. Cutchings, who is physically one of the lagest men on the floor, retorted that the failure to see him was possibly due to the fact that he was so small.

Moderator Craig, in reply, said it made no difference how many times Mr. Cutchings had been on his feet so long as he had not caught the eye of the chair.

He added: "I never new such an outbreak while a vote was being taken," and this remark was received with loud applause.

The reference of the overtures to the judiciary committee was carried and then Dr. Craig stepped to the front of the platform. What he said was short and sharp. "Don't you try to overwhelm us with such points at this stage of the game," he said, emphasizing his remarks by a flourish of the gavel which he held in his hand.

This was greeted with cheers and the incident ended for the time.

Rev. George L. Spanning of New York read the report of the committee on the board of missions among the freedmen. The report showed that the receipts were less than those of the previous year, and $15,000 less than the expenditures, which were $193,000. The committee recommended a revision of the assignment of church funds among the several boards with a view to increasing the amount to be given to the freemen. The assembly was asked to approve measures to be taken for raising $400,000 for Biddle university. The recommendations of the committee were adopted.

Moderator Craig then announced, through Clerk Roberts, the remaining committees relating to the records of the synod.

A recess was taken at noon, during which the commissioners proceeded in a body to the south plaza of the state, war and navy building, and were there photographed in a group.

Prayer at the opening of the afternoon session of the general assembly was offered by Rev. J. G. Paton of New Hebrides.

The report of the committee on Sabbath observances coming up, President Warfielder, Lafayette college, proposed an additional recommendation that the third Sunday in June be set apart, on which there shall be sermons preached in all the churches and prayers be offered in behalf of the effort to keep the gates of the fair closed.

Rev. Mr. McCauley of Dayton recommended that in case the Sunday closing rule be violated, the exhibit of the Presbyterian church be removed. The several recommendations, together with those of Messrs. Warfield and McCauley, were considered seriatim and adopted.

The committee was continued, to be composed of the following gentlemen: W. R. Warrall, George E. Sterry and A. P. Ketchum, New York; James A. Beaver, Pennsylvania; Benjamin Harrison, Indianapolis; Thomas Ewing, Pittsburg; Rev. Drs. Byron Sunderland, Washington; Herrick Johnson, S. J. McPherson and J. L. Withrow, Chicago; F. O. Monfort, Cincinnati; J. H. Brookes, St. Louis; W. C. Young, Kentucky; John Gordon, Omaha.

During the discussion of the report Rev. W. S. Jerome of Pontiac, Mich., opposed the removal of the Presbyterian exhibit from the world's fair in case the Sunday closing law is violated. If the fair was kept open on Sunday there was all the more reason why the exhibit should be where the people could see something good. Mr. Jerome was overwhelmingly in the minority, the amendment favoring the withdrawal of the exhibit being carried by a practically unanimous vote, that of Rev. N. B. Rennick of Genova, N. Y., with his own, being the only two cast against it.

The report of the committee on education was presented by Rev. Thomas D. Ewing of Corning, Ia. It recommended the work of the board and asked the assembly to give it $150,000 for the work of next year. Rev. D. W. Poor, the venerable corresponding secretary of the board, detailed its workings to the assembly. The most satisfactory feature was the fact that the board is now comparatively out of debt, the amount having been reduced from $7,000 to $800.

The secretary said, referring to the deficiency in the production of preachers, that it was a tremendous fact that the church must face. Last year 1,254 churches were reported to be vacant, not even having a stated supply.

Dr. Poor said that in the past six years the Presbyterian denomination had been compelled to draw on other denominations for 550 ministers to do its work.

The recommendations of the committee were adopted. An overture from the presbytery of St. Clairsville asking that the board of education lend money to candidates who prefer to borrow rather than accept a gift, was reported to the assembly by the committee with a favorable recommendation, the maximum amount to be so loaned to be fixed at $150 per annum. The recommendation was adopted.

Rev. Mr. Reed of North China presbytery presented the following resolutions which were referred to the committee on Chinese exclusion act:

RESOLVED, That this assembly desires to place on record the expression of its deep gratitude for the favor extended to our missionaries and their work in China by the Chinese authorities, and for the settlement of the difficulties which exist, especially in the Shang Tung provinces; also for the very valuable aid which has been rendered by the United States minister, Hon. Charles Denby, who for the past eight years has retained the friendship and esteem of all Americans in China and the Chinese imperial government.

RESOLVED, That a committee of five be appointed to report upon the above action to the secretary of state and to the Chinese minister at this capital.

The assembly then adjourned, with prayer by Elder Jacks.

**Cumberland Assembly.**

LITTLE ROCK, May 23.—At the meeting of the Cumberland Presbyterian assembly, a report was read from the special committee to locate a theological seminary in Chicago. The committee recommended that the assembly declare whether the endowment shall be raised before any real estate is secured or whether options on real estate can first be taken and that the amount of endowment be reduced from $300,000 to $50,000. The committee on overtures reported adversely upon the proposition to abolish the office of general superintendent of Sabbath schools and applying the salary to Sundayschool editor. All the day was consumed in discussing committee reports.

**Reformed Presbyterians.**

NEW YORK, May 23.—The general synod of the Reformed Presbyterian church reconvened at 123 West Twelfth street, Rev. John Alvord presiding.

The report of the committee on federation was made the special order of business. The committee laid before delegates the proposed scheme for federation with other Presbyterian sections, which is very generally considered by Presbyterian synods throughout the country. The proposal includes a general union for the purpose of mission work, each church retaining its own organic system and the formation of a federal council with equal representation.

**United Brethren Conference.**

DAYTON, O., May 23.—In the United Brethren general conference Rev. Dr. G. A. Funkhouser, president of the Union Biblical seminary, who was last Friday elected bishop, resigned the bishopric in order that he might continue his present work. Subsequently Rev. Dr. J. S. Mills of Toledo, Ia., was elected bishop. Colonel R. Cowden was elected secretary of the general Sundayschool board. The conference will probably conclude its business today and adjourn sine die.

**Indications.**

Thunder showers, severe in northwest, south winds, cooler by Wednesday morning.

## THE MARKETS.

**Review of the Grain and Cattle Markets For May 22.**

**Cincinnati.**

WHEAT—62@73c.
CORN—31@51c.
WOOL—Unwashed fine merino, 16@18c; ¼-blood clothing, 20@22c; braid, 17@18c; medium clothing, 22@23c; washed fine merino X and XX, 25@26c; medium clothing, 26@28c.
CATTLE—Selected butchers, $4 50@5 00, fair to good, $3 50@4 40; common, $2 50@3 25.
HOGS—Select heavy and prime butchers, $7 50@7 60; fair to good packing, $7 30@7 50; common and rough, $9 65@7 25.
SHEEP—$3 00@5 50.
SPRING LAMBS—$5 00@7 25.

**Cincinnati Tobacco.**

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| Offerings for the week | 1,15- |
| Offerings same week last year | 1,333 |
| Receipts for the week | 1,308 |
| Receipts same week last year | 850 |
| The offerings of new were | 1,028 |

The 1,028 hhds new sold as follows:

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| 38 at | $1 00@ 3 95 |
| 180 at | 4 00@ 5 95 |
| 226 at | 6 00@ 9 95 |
| 323 at | 8 00@ 9 95 |
| 110 at | 10 00@11 75 |
| 104 at | 12 00@14 75 |
| 35 at | 15 00@18 50 |
| 1 at | 20 00 |

The 130 hhds old sold as follows

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| 2 at | $3 20@ 3 90 |
| 4 at | 4 20@ 5 05 |
| 13 at | 6 35@ 7 80 |
| 39 at | 8 00@ 9 95 |
| 27 at | 10 00@11 75 |
| 38 at | 12 00@14 75 |
| 7 at | 15 00@18 00 |

**Pittsburg.**

CATTLE—Prime, $5 60@5 80; good, $5 00@5 25; good butchers', $4 25@4 75; rough fat, $4 00@4 50, fair light steers, $3 10@3 60; light stockers, $3 10@3 60, good fat cows and heifers, $3 25@4 00, bulls and stags, $3 00@3 50; fresh cows and springers, $15 00@40 00, bologna cows, $10 00@15 00.

HOGS—Best Medium and heavy Philadelphias, $7 90@7 95; good mixed, $7 80@7 85; best light to heavy Yorkers, $7 75@7 80, common to fair Yorkers, $7 00@7 70; pigs, $7 00@7 50, roughs, $5 50@7 00.

SHEEP—Extra, 95 to 100 lbs, $5 30@5 40; good, 80 to 10, $4 90@5 20; fair, 70 to 80, $3 80@4 50; common, $2 00@3 00, yearlings, $3 00@5 60.

LAMBS — Good to prime, $5 80@6 40; common to fair, $4 50@5 50.

CALVES—Veal, $5 25@6 00; heavy and thin, $3 00@4 00.

**Boston.**

WOOL—Ohio and Pennsylvania XXX 29@30c, XX and above 28@29c, X 27c, No. 1 31@32c, No. 2 29@30c, fine unwashed 18@19c, unmerchantable 20@21c, Ohio combing No. 1 ⅜@½-blood 32@34c, No. 2 ¼-blood 29@31c, Ohio delaine 29@30c, Michigan X and above 25@26c, No. 1 30c, No. 2 28@29c, fine unwashed 18@19c, unmerchantable 20@22c, Michigan combing No. 1 ⅜@½-blood 32@34c, No. 2 ¼-blood 30@31c, Michigan delaine 28@29c, Kentucky, Indiana and Missouri combing ⅜-blood 24@25c, do ¼-blood 23@24c, do braid 20@21c, clothing ⅜-blood 24@25c, do ¼-blood 23@24c, do coarse 21@22c.

**Chicago.**

HOGS—Heavy, $7 55@7 75; packers, $7 30@7 65; common to rough, $6 85@7 25; light, $7 00@7 60.
CATTLE — Prime steers, $5 35@5 60; others, $4 00@5 25; mixed, $3 50@4 50.
SHEEP—$4 00@5 75.
LAMBS—$4 50@7 25.

**New York.**

WHEAT—July, 73⅝@79½c.
CORN—50¼@51½c.
OATS—Western, 38½@47c.
CATTLE—$2 85@5 85.
SHEEP—$4 00@6 25.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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### KNIGHTS OF THE SWITCH

**Give a Brutal Wife-Beater a Dose of His Own Medicine.**

MARTINSVILLE, Ind., May 23.—Saturday morning David Rooney, a market gardener living two miles north of here, was arraigned and fined $10 and costs for whipping his wife. Saturday night he was visited by a band of White Caps, taken from bed, tied to a tree and unmercifully whipped with straps. It was charged by Rooney's wife that the breakfast was not suitable Saturday morning, which caused him to whip her. Several other parties have received notices in the city, and it is certain that Martinsville has a well organized band of more than 100 of these Knights of the Switch.

### CONDENSED NEWS.

**Short Items From Various Parts of the Country.**

Chauncey H Stone, journalist and civil engineer, died in Washington, aged 60.

Governor Hogg of Texas has vetoed the sugar bounty bill passed by the recent legislature.

It is reported in New York that Dr. Talmage has been offered $50,000 a year by a Chicago church.

The Michigan house of representatives has passed a bill granting municipal and school suffrage to women.

Comptroller Eckels has appointed Mr. William Niblack receiver of the Columbian National bank of Chicago.

The exports of specie from New York last week were $4,778,562, of which $4,542,000 were gold and $236,262 silver.

Oppressed by poverty, Agnes Burton and her daughter ended their lives with poison at their home, near Norristown, Pennsylvania.

The Methodist preachers of New York, Brooklyn and vicinity have resolved to withdraw the Methodist exhibit from the world's fair because of the proposed Sunday opening.

Edwin Booth is much better. He will probably leave New York city on June 1 for Narragansett Pier, where his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Grossman, have a cottage.

Princess Eulalie had her photograph taken in the morning, visited the treasury department and several other important places in Washington during the day, and in the evening received a number of callers.

### SHE SPOKE AT LAST.

**A Schoolteacher Who Was Pestered by a "Masher" Turned on Him.**

It was one of those frosty, nippy mornings when the pavements were icy and winds piercing. A small, plump damsel (by profession a schoolteacher), with rosy cheeks, might have been seen tripping along the slippery sidewalks of Kenwood. It was very early, not yet 8 o'clock, and the little schoolmarm hurried, followed by a middle aged man who had got off the car obviously to follow her.

"It's very slippery, isn't it?" he puffed as he overtook her.

The young woman's eyes flashed, but she only gave a little tug at her scrap of dotted face veil, thrust her hands determinedly into her muff and sped on.

A calling card, one of her own, was sticking out of her little jacket pocket, with only the first two words, "Miss Elizabeth," just visible and the last name obscured.

The stout man saw it.

"Your name's Elizabeth, isn't it?" he said cheerfully. "Do you know you remind me so much of Lena Morris? She was an old sweetheart of mine, and I was awfully fond of her."

No answer from the young woman except a quickening of her already Nancy Hanks gait.

"Don't go so fast," said her tormenter. "You might slip and fall. I really wonder that you are not afraid to venture out such a bad day."

Miss Blackeyes said nothing. She had about reached the drug store where she was to wait for her car.

As she went into the store with glowing cheeks, the dapper young clerk said, "Don't you want to come over by the stove and get warm?"

"I want to know why I am a target for every insolent man in town this morning," she snapped as she glanced through the door and saw the short, stout man patrolling the sidewalk and evidently still intent on pursuit. The drug clerk subsided, the car came, and on she got, with the man at her heels. He sat down beside her. When she arrived at her street corner, he arose and followed her out of the car. She had almost reached her school and was getting brave. Again he walked beside her and asked her if she wouldn't "say something to him."

Her voice had not a tremor, but was deliciously clear and steady as she spoke for the first time.

"Certainly," she said. "Do you know, I was just wondering if a man ever lived to be your age before—let me see, you must be 50 at least—who was capable of acting so perfectly idiotic. Now, for my part, I can tolerate a young, empty headed masher, but as for an old fool like you"— but the middle aged, short, stout man had fled.—Chicago News.

**Works of Patience.**

Probably the sternest patience is displayed by the sculptor or the painter who will spend months and years in materializing a conception. There is no doubt more of patience displayed by the Caucasians, speaking numerically, than any other race, but I maintain that it is a gift of nature and just as like to come to a dog as to a man, only the dog would not have sense enough to use it as effectively as men would. I have seen a great deal of this quality of nature displayed by savages, such as the negroes of Africa and the Indians of America. We all admire the armor of the old English knights and the wonderfully intricate workmanship displayed upon many of them, but I have seen Indian war costumes that would make the eye of the seeker after curiosities and rarities simply blind. The whole is intricate and interesting to look at, but closer inspection will invariably show almost endless work—labor of years to make it look beautiful. Some of the negroes of the south have fishing rods and tackle that are marvels of delicate hand workmanship, so much so that there is nothing like them to be had in the market for money. All this, however, is only accomplished by almost supreme patience.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

**Lost a Toe.**

This afternoon Martin Noonan, an employe of the Lima Machine Works, had one of the toes of his right foot cut off by a casting falling on it. One of Musser's hacks removed him to his home at 635 North McDonald street.

**Gross Neglect.**

Sarah E. Haruff yesterday filed her petition in Common Pleas Court praying for divorce from her husband, George W. Haruff. She charges him with with gross neglect of duty. The parties reside in Spencer township.

**Now is Your Chance**

To get The Inter Ocean delivered at your office or residence early in the morning. Their solicitor's headquarters is with Downward & Son. 86-2t

**Valuable Mare Dead.**

A valuable mare belonging to John Boose died at his farm east of town yesterday, of inflammation of the bowels. The mare was one of the best in this city, and Mr. Boose deeply feels his loss.

**One Fare to Columbus, Ohio, and Return via the Baltimore & Ohio R. R.**

On June 6th and 7th the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad will sell excursion tickets to Columbus, Ohio, at a rate of one fare for the round trip, on account of the Republican State Convention to be held June 7th and 8th, 1893. Tickets will be good for return passage up to and including June 1th, 1893.

For further information call on or address any B. & O. Ticket Agent or L. S. Allen, Ass't Gen'l Pass'r Agent, Chicago, Ill.

### THE SOUTH SIDE.

Aaron Beery, of Celina, has returned home, after a few days' visit among relatives in this city.

**Miller Here.**

Tommy Miller, the Indianapolis light weight, arrived this afternoon, and will try and get a match with Jack Bolan.

**Leave To-night.**

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Elyea leave to-night for their future home in Le Roy, New York.

Headache, neuralgia, dizziness nervousness, spasms, sleeplessness, nervous dyspepsia, dullness, blues, are cured by the Nervine discovered by the eminent Indiana Specialist in nervous diseases, Dr. Miles. Fine books and trial bottles free at Melville's drug store, or address The Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

**Have You Seen**

That beautiful colored supplement in the Wednesday and Sunday issues of The Chicago Inter Ocean. Headquarter with 86 2t DOWSWARD & SON.

**Change of Schedule on the Pennsylvania Lines.**

A change in the schedule of passenger trains on the Pennsylvania Lines, went into effect May 21st. Under the new schedule the time of trains at Lima, O., is as follows:

Depart for the West at 4:07 a m, 9:13 a m, 3.30 p m, 4:45 p m, and 11:16 p m.

Depart for the East at 7:30 a m, 9:30 a m, 2:40 p m, 4.20 p m and 9:30 p m.

The corrected card will be given in a subsequent issue of this paper.

B. H. OYLER,
T'kt Agt., Lima, O.

## WHERE TO BUY.

Pure Water. Pure Water for family use. Send orders to E. Christen, sole agent for Americus Waukesha Water.

Marsh & Helm are showing a very stylish lot of ladies shirt waists. 86 2t

First class barbers at Lutz's Barber Shop, one door west of postoffice, on High street,

Guaranteed free from Verdigras or other impurity, containing the rich properties of malt, Chase's Barley Malt Whisky build up the system and strengthens the lung Wilbur Fisk, sole agent for Lima.

Men can get shaved every ten minutes at Lutz's Barber Shop, one door west of postoffice, on High street.

Nick Gloekler has opened a retaurent and ice cream parlor at the northwest corner of Wayne and Union streets. Soft drinks and fruits of all kind on hand. Give him a call. 82 6t

Wonderful bargains in dress patterns at Marsh & Helm's, this week. 86 2t

WANTED:—A bright, intelligent woman for light remunerative work among the woman of her town and vicinity. Call on our representative, Mrs. H. A. Gaynor, at the Lima House, between 2 and 4, on May 25 and 26. AVERY MEDICINE Co. 82 7t Toledo, Ohio.

Hats and Caps selling below cost at the Assignee Sale. 16 tf

Americus Waukesha Water, 5 gallons or more, at 12½c per gallon, delivered. Telephone 44.

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Night Robes, Collars and Cuffs at the Assignee Sale. 16 tf

**WANTED.**

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WANTED—Four ladies to solicit orders that are familiar with the city. Corset agents preferred. Call after six o'clock. Faurot House, Room 9. 85-3t*

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### NOTICE TO BOND BUYERS.

**$30,000.00 Worth of Bonds for Sale.**

OFFICE OF CITY CLERK, LIMA, OHIO

Sealed proposals are invited at the above named office until 12 o'clock noon on Friday, the 30th day of June, 1893, for the purchase of $30,000.00 worth of bonds of the city of Lima, Ohio, issued in anticipation of special assessments made to pay the cost of the collection of improving the Public square in said city.

Said bonds bear interest at a rate of 5 per cent per annum payable semi-annually on the first day of July and the first day of January following their date of issue, and said bonds bear date of July 1st, 1893, in accordance with the requirements of an ordinance authorizing their issue, and mature as follows, that is to say: One-fifth of the entire issue of said bonds matures on each and every year after the date of issue, and said series of bonds is divided into 20 bonds of $1000 each, and 20 bonds of $500 each. Both interest and principal are payable at the office of the city Treasurer of Lima, Ohio, or at the banking house of Kountze Brothers, in New York City, and said bonds are issued under the authority of the laws of Ohio, and an ordinance passed in conformity therewith on the 10th day of April, 1893, by said council.

In "Section 3" of said ordinance it is provided that "if any of the property owners shall pay the full amount of their semi-annual installments in cash to the Treasurer, less the interest included therein, the amount so paid shall be applied to the payment of the cost and expense of said improvement, and bonds shall be issued and delivered for the unpaid remainder of the total amount to be provided." Therefore, the Finance Committee reserve the right to deliver an amount equal to the whole cost of said improvement which is estimated at $30 000 00 or any part thereof.

No bids will be considered for less than the par value of said bonds, and all bids should specify the number of bonds bid for, and premium, if any is offered.

The Finance Committee reserve the right to accept any or reject all bonds.

Bids must be enclosed in a sealed envelope and addressed to J. Boyd Douglass, City Clerk of Lima, Ohio.

Given at Lima, Ohio, this 22d day of June, 1893.

86 tu w 4wks J. BOYD DOUGLASS, City Clerk.

### AN ORDINACE

To levy taxes for municipal purposes for the year A. D, 1893.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Lima, Ohio, as follows:

SECTION 1. That there be levied for corporate purposes for the year 1893, on each dollar of the valuation of the real and personal property in the City of Lima, Ohio, returned on the grand levy, the sum of ten and four-tenths mills, and that said levy be apportioned as follows:

| | mills | tenths |
|---|---|---|
| General Fund | 1 | 5 |
| Sanitary | 0 | 2 |
| Fire | 1 | 5 |
| Police | 0 | 4 |
| Sewer | 1 | 0 |
| Light | 1 | 7 |
| Poor | 0 | 1 |
| Street | 0 | 5 |
| Mch. shop interest | 0 | 8 |
| Special Street improvement fund | 1 | 5 |
| Water Works Int fund | 1 | 2 |
| Grand Total | 10 | 4 |

SECTION 2. And the City Clerk is directed to certify the above levy to the County Auditor to be placed on the tax list for collection.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect from and after passage and publication according to law.

Passed May 15th, 1893.

D. E. JONES,
President of Council.

SIMON SPELLACY,
City Clerk Pro Tem.

### Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as Administrator de bonis non of the estate of Almond E. Hassell, of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

WILLIAM L. MACKENZIE,
Administrator de bonis non of the estate of Almond E Hadsell, dec ased. 5 4-3w

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TUESDAY EVENING, MAY 23, '93.

An exchange asks—"Why shouldn't the colored Democrats get some of the offices? What is there to be afraid of? The American eagle isn't a chicken."

The outrageous exhibitions of bad temper by the English Tories toward Mr. Gladstone indicates that they have begun to despair of their ability to defeat Home Rule by rational and decent means. Yet they are not likely to intimidate the friends of the measure by displays of coarseness and brutality.

Chicago cannot afford to open the World's Fair on Sunday, until she first gives back to the Government the money it gave to assist the enterprise, and unless she does that the administration should see that the gates are kept closed on the Sabbath day. The Government must respect the Sabbath if it wishes to retain the respect of the civilized world.

A Chicago court fined a man $10 for kissing one girl and a New York court fined a man $5 for kissing six girls. But why does a man who kisses a Chicago girl committed a $10 crime, while the man who kisses a New York girl violates the law to the extent of only about eighty-three cents? Evidently there is a lack of uniformity either in our laws or in our girls.

A proposition to tax bicycles is under discussion in Massachusetts. It is argued with some force that a man who owns a horse, even if the animal be not worth more than a bicycle, is obliged to pay a horse-tax. On the other hand the owners of bicycles insist that horse-flesh is a luxury in which they cannot indulge, and that the bicycle is fast becoming the poor man's substitute for more expensive means of locomotion.

## UNREGULATED PASSENGER TRAFFIC IN DAKOTA.

A railroad man, that is a conductor or brakeman, sometimes makes from 15 cents to $10 extra by collecting fares in box cars from gentlemen who are not hankering after notoriety, but who are going from one settlement to another as quietly as possible so as not to get their names in the paper. A dollar will carry a man a long way in a box car, although it does not give him the privilege of suing the company in case of an accident. Well regulated crews divide the train into two equal parts. The head brakeman has the first half of the train, the hind brakeman has the latter half, and the conductor gets the caboose fares, which he sometimes divides with the company, but conductors have been discharged for being too honest in that respect; trainmasters, superintendents, and general managers have most of them commenced by carrying water to the section crews and wound their way up on a brakeman and conductor ladder, and they don't like to see old landmarks destroyed or adulterated.

## A PERTINENT WHY?

A Republican organ, clamoring indignantly against the proposition of the Democrats to revise the pension list, claims that "the 'coffee-coolers,' the malingerers and the sneaks generally were among the very first men to get pensions after the war." Very well. Why should honest men then object to striking these off the rolls? They have already drawn pensions longer than many who deserve pensions.—*Courier Journal.*

## WILL HOLMAN OBJECT?

The expense of entertaining the Duke De Veragua and the Spanish Infanta will be quietly met by the government unless Mr. Holman should get wind of the movement and object. If Statesman Holman had his way he would send a bill to the Spanish Government, with compound interest for 400 years, for having furnished wharfage to Columbus.—*New York Advertiser.*

### His Solemn Oath.

A popular comedian tells a story of a waiter at a London restaurant who was sadly given to drink. A party of young men determined to reform him, and one day they read to him an imaginary paragraph from a paper relating a terrible accident in which an inebriate in blowing out a candle was killed by the flame igniting the alcoholic fumes of his breath. James pricked up his ears at this and requested that the paragraph might be read to him again, which was done, to the evident horror of the poor man, who immediately went in search of a Bible.

Returning with this, he expressed a desire to take a solemn oath upon it, bemoaned the fact that he had been a sorry tippler and was bringing himself to ruin, and then swore that never again so long as he lived would he attempt to blow out a candle.—Million.

### The Horrors In Its Train.

Spelling contests are fashionable again in Michigan. They seem to have come in along with crinoline.

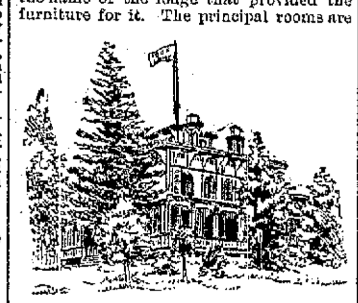
The roller skating craze has broken out again among the western Massachusetts girls. Hoopskirts give the fair skaters plenty of leeway for striking boldly out.—Boston Globe.

## SECRET SOCIETIES

### I. O. O. F.

**Dedication of the Connecticut Odd Fellows' Home—Notes.**

Beautiful Fairview, situated on the Groton hills overlooking the Thames river, is the spot chosen by the Connecticut Odd Fellows for the home for aged and invalid members of the order. It was dedicated on the seventy-fourth anniversary of the birth of Odd Fellowship in this country. The ceremonies were most impressive and were witnessed by thousands of people. It was the occasion of the grandest Odd Fellow demonstration ever known in Connecticut, over 4,000 men, including the Patriarchs Militant, parading. The mansion was purchased at a cost of $13,000, and it will be endowed with a fund of $40,000, the members of the order having agreed to a periodical assessment of 50 cents apiece until the whole amount is raised. Since the Odd Fellows took possession of the place they have had all the rooms refurnished, and on the door of each room is the name of the lodge that provided the furniture for it. The principal rooms are



CONNECTICUT ODD FELLOWS' HOME.

heated with coal grates. The New Haven Odd Fellows' Library association gave an extensive library to the home. There are four inmates now—J. H. Cloyes of New Britain, Walter M. Edmonds, Charles Bower and George Scofield. There will be 20 in the summer. Those who become inmates pay $3 a week, and each member of the order in the state is assessed 2 cents a week to defray the expenses of the institution. Mrs. Lida M. Cohen is the matron and J. H. Cloyes janitor. Besides the Fairview grounds, a farm of 43 acres, with a house, belongs to the home. Orrin Gray has charge of the farm.

The aggregate revenue of the lodges and encampments of the order in 1892 amounted to over $8,000,000.

Grand Secretary Jones of Maryland has just been elected to his twenty-first consecutive term.

The total revenue of the order in New York aggregates nearly $600,000.

The grand lodge of North Carolina in 1880 had 45 lodges and 1,400 members. They elected Bro. Wooddell grand secretary, paid him for his time and sent him out to work. They now have 100 lodges and over 4,000 members.

### RED MEN.

**The Veteran League of Manhattan Island. Short Talks.**

The following prefaces the rules of government of the Veteran League of Manhattan Island: "Inasmuch as the United States great council has adopted a Totemic badge for Veteran Red Men to be worn after a consecutive membership of 21 great suns and has thereby added an appreciative token to those already binding the members of our order together, therefore be it known that in keeping with the spirit of the above action the Veteran Red Men of Manhattan island and vicinity do hereby give to a practical form by the organization of a Veteran Red Men's league, the purpose of which shall be to promote freedom, increase friendship and exercise charity and also prepare the way for eligible Red Men to unite with the same as from time to time they may seek admission, the league to be governed by the following and such other rules—subject to United States great council action—as may be adopted for the strengthening of the Totemic bond among its members."

Rockland county, N. Y., which only a little over a year ago contained but one tribe, now has six, with a council of the degree of Pocahontas under way in Nyack. Deputy Great Sachem W. W. Lowerre has been the prime mover in this increase.

Great Senior Sagamore of the United States A. H. Paton and Charles H. Litchman, past grand incohonee, attended the great sun session of the great council of Maine which was held at Bath.

New Jersey has over 1,500 Haymakers in good standing.

Past Sachem Jacob S. Painter has again been elected to the presidency of the Red Men's home of Pennsylvania.

New tribes are reported at Logansport and Jamestown. Indianapolis is still "going her gait."

### Royal Arcanum.

At the sixteenth annual session of the grand council of Massachusetts the grand regent said: "At the last annual session the membership in Massachusetts was 13,750, with 142 councils. The present membership is 14,546, with the same number of councils. One new council has been instituted and two consolidated. The net gain in membership is 796."

Estimated number of members Feb. 18, 1893, 138,664; number of subordinate councils Feb. 28, 1893, 1,497; number of grand councils Feb. 28, 1893, 20.

The increase of membership in New Jersey during the past two months has carried the figures beyond the 9,000 mark.

During the month of March there were received in the office of the supreme secretary at Boston 2,126 applications, the largest number in the history of the order for any single month.

The expenses of business for 15½ years were about $520,000. Expenses of business for year about $70,000.

### Knights of the Golden Eagle.

The order is fraternal with insurance and uniform rank features. It was organized in Michigan in 1885 and now has a membership of 1,500 in the lower peninsula and 500 in the upper peninsula, or a total of 2,000, of which 700 was secured last year.

The membership in Pennsylvania on Dec. 31 last, as compiled from the reports, was 40,312, an increase of 1,815 during the past year. Since then at least 2,000 members have been added by initiations and new castles.

With the institution of Tabor castle No. 164 in Philadelphia every castle in Pennsylvania from No. 1 to No. 470 inclusive is in existence. The entire chain of 470 links of this brotherhood is intact.

### A Year Old Egg.

The old belief that an egg laid on Good Friday or Easter Sunday will not spoil—simply dry up—has been seemingly proved in a single instance at Newbern, N. C., where Moses Roberts made a test by keeping an egg laid on Easter day of last year to the present. On breaking the egg open a few days ago it is claimed to have retained every indication of a fresh laid egg.—Philadelphia Ledger.

### An Early Astronomical Teacher.

Thales, born 640 years B. C., was the first to note the four distinct divisions due to the positions of the sun—viz, the solstices and the equinoxes. He also taught that moonlight was simply reflected sunlight, and was the man who first made a prediction of a solar eclipse.—St. Louis Republic.

### A Measure of Safety.

Gummey—Don't you get tired of young Huggins' nightly visits to your daughter and his staying until after midnight?

Glanders—Not at all. I regard him as a protection against burglars.—Detroit Free Press.

### BALLAD OF AN OLD MAID.

She heard one saying, "I wonder why
That pretty old maid was never wed,"
And she turned aside, with a dewy eye,
And sat with her hand to her bended head.
"If they only knew," her sad heart said,
And her pleading thought searched the universe through
Again for a form that long ago fled,
The gallant form of a boy in blue.

Again were the soldiers marching by,
With eager zeal in their measured tread,
The brave flag brightening land and sky
With glorious light from its rich folds shed.
Again the blast of the bugle led
Her heart where blood was the grasses' dew,
And lying low on a hero's bed
The gallant form of a boy in blue.

No wedding chimes from the bells on high,
But ever through all the years instead
A toll prolonging the mingled cry
Of woe and triumph that battle bred.
And her heart on no other love was fed,
But ever through all the years was true
To him who fell where the field was red,
The gallant form of a boy in blue.

ENVOY.

Prince, who art young, when war times sped,
Was many a fatal shot that flew,
And many a maiden mourned her dead,
The gallant form of a boy in blue.
—C. L. Cleveland in Boston Globe.

## MY COUSIN.

My cousin Elsa had, I am sorry to say, grown into a provocante woman, with a dirty complexion and a tendency to hint on insufficient evidence that men whom she met were in love with her. She gave these hints to a confidante, and the confidante always told the men, and the men as a rule were very angry. Sometimes they complained to me. She was just pretty enough to make her story probable, and this was exasperating. I pointed out to them that Elsa was the kind of a girl that had to do something to make her mother suffer, that there was no authentic instance of any one who knew her well having taken her seriously, and that it was best to bear quietly with the ways of women. I did what I could. I told her that it was vulgar to pose as the car of Juggernaut, but although she is quite vulgar enough to consciously avoid vulgarity she would not see it.

I came upon her late one night at one of her mother's parties when nearly every one had gone. She was wearing the most affected clothes, liquid eyes and a small pout.

"Poor little me!" she said in her favorite girl of 4 manner, "what have I done? I feel positively certain that Mr. Wysloup will kill me."

"Yes?"

"Indeed, yes and yes and yes! He would take me into supper, and ever since if I said a word to any other man he has scowled at me in a positively murderous way."

"Elsa," I said, "I will give you six lessons in the art of implication for a shilling. It is cheap, but I hate to see you doing things inartistically. It is all right with me, of course, but I fancy that you had better not tell other people that Wysloup is in love with you."

"I never said he was. And why mustn't I tell?"

"Because Wysloup is dangerous."

"Oh! Why dangerous? Then I think I will."

She did, and Wysloup heard of it. He is connected with the proprietor of the Wysloup multiplex sock. The multiplex sock is, if one may trust the advertisement, an added luxury to life and cannot wear out. It has certainly conferred more fortune than honor upon the nephew of the proprietor. If in your ignorance you cheerily ask Wysloup if he is connected with the multiplex sock, he will tell you frankly that he is its nephew. But when once he knows that you are aware of the connection he does not permit any further reference to it. For instance, Denner happened once to be talking at the club about the possibility that he might have to leave his house. A certain railway had a great envy to go through his front garden. Some one asked him if he felt anxious about it.

"Yes," said Denner, "I am in a state of the most awful suspense, like my multiplex socks." Wysloup was present and heard this, but he said nothing. Later, at whist, Major Birdmount—who is all liver and suspicions—was coupled with Wysloup against Drisfield and Denner. The major is quite unable to believe in extraordinary luck at whist unless it happens to come to himself. He would distrust his own mother if she had seven trumps. Consequently it was unfortunate that Denner commenced by dealing himself the whole of the 13. With great difficulty the major held his tongue and spoke nothing, but his face darkened. Denner was greatly surprised. Wysloup smiled a faint ghost of a smile. Presently Denner noticed that the major was watching him intently. As Denner is a perfectly ordinary and honest man he was naturally annoyed. But in spite of his honesty when it came to Denner's turn to deal again he dealt himself 11 trumps with the ace and king of another suit. He could hardly believe his eyes. He flung down his cards and won the rubber.

As the major rose to go he said, "My children had been meaning to take me to the Egyptian hall tonight, but whist's good enough for me." No man probably likes to have it implied that he is cheating for the sake of shilling points at whist. Denner was furious and lost no time in making the major very much less vague and very much more humble, but he was nevertheless exceedingly annoyed about it. Of course it may not have been Wysloup that was responsible, but I have noticed that those who vex him generally get punished, and he can do anything with the cards. Besides Wysloup was very busy losing money to the major at ecarte on the following day. Now, the major cannot play ecarte, and Wysloup can. This was the only occasion on which it had occurred to me that Wysloup had the battered relics of a conscience.

I was curious to see how he would take my cousin Elsa's audacity. She had hinted at Wysloup's devotion in a conversation with young Cecil Banks. Banks is a repeater. He told Wysloup all about it. Further, he told me that he had told Wysloup. Now, I thought, Wysloup will cut her dead and make no secret why he does it, or he will set some scandal afloat about her. He did nothing of the kind. He treated her with the most delicate and respectful attention. He took every chance of meeting her. He seemed at first to desire nothing more than to be forever her humble and silent worshiper.

Once or twice as she stepped from the carriage up the strip of carpet to some party to which Wysloup had not been invited she saw him standing in the crowd, half in shadow, cloaked, watching her with raptured eyes and a romantic air as impressive as the advertisements of the multiplex sock. On the occasions when he did meet her he by no means monopolized her. He took with humble gratitude as much of her society as she vouchsafed to him. He remembered and showed her that he remembered every word she said and every preference that she expressed. He was reverent and chivalrous with her. His manner was perfect. He was splendid. He was Elizabethan.

I do not think Elsa had been treated with abnormal reverence before. She luxuriated in it. She ceased to say anything that could imply that Wysloup was fond of her, yet she talked a good deal of him. She told me one night that he was the only man she knew who had a really noble nature. I said: "All right, but let it stop at that. Don't marry him." She said ecstatically that one would not marry Sir Galahad. I said that I had never tried. Then she told me that I was vulgar, which was fairly true.

Of course a week or two afterward she came to me with a letter in her hand. "You know," she began, "that poor, dear mamma does not like Mr. Wysloup. She asks him to things sometimes because I make her, but she hates him."

"Yes?"

"Well, I'm in great trouble. He's written to me—a proposal, and I have accepted him. Oh! oh! I hadn't expected it, and I'm not worthy, and I never called any one Algernon before in my life. I want you to break it to mamma and tell her it's all right."

"You won't like it. He's going abroad to look after the colonial interests of the multiplex sock. You had better write and say that you've changed your mind. What's that letter you've got there?"

"It's his. It's the letter. I can't bear to let it get out of my hands."

"The address on the envelope," I said, "is not in Wysloup's writing."

"Well, it is the same as the writing in the inside and the same as the acceptances he wrote to our invitations. I wish we hadn't destroyed them."

I went to a drawer and pulled out a sheet of note paper. "There," I said, "I saw Wysloup write that and sign it. Compare it with the letter. I have known Wysloup's handwriting for years."

It took me time to convince her, but I did it. She became slightly illogical. She said that Wysloup ought to be ashamed of himself, and that it obviously was not he who had played her the trick and that I was much to blame for introducing him to her—which, by the way, I never did. She also said that it would kill her, but it didn't.

This is the reply she received to her acceptance in Wysloup's own handwriting:

DEAR MISS HARDING—I gather from your letter that some person has been writing to you a proposal in my name, and that you have been a victim of a vulgar practical joke. I must thank you for the very warm and flattering expressions that you used about me, and I am indeed sorry that I cannot plead a right to them. But I shall hope to be always a brother to you. It came to my knowledge a few months ago that you had coupled my name with yours in a very unjustifiable way. I shall therefore retain your letter as a hostage. As long as you refrain from taking such liberties in the future no one will see that letter but myself. Again apologizing for my inability to be to you all that you would wish, I remain yours respectfully,
ALGERNON WYSLOUP.

Elsa spent a vast amount of tears, gasps and torn handkerchiefs over this letter. "How dare a man say that he will be my brother?" she exclaimed. Then she once more referred to the probability of her immediate decease.

Wysloup left England a few days afterward, and we never found out whom he had got to write the letters for him. For all we knew he may have disguised his own handwriting.

When Elsa married Sir Peter a year afterward, Wysloup sent her as a wedding present a gold bonbonniere with her love letter folded small inside it. He once more showed the relics of a conscience.

A few weeks afterward I caught Elsa speaking of Wysloup to a dear friend.

"Yes," said Elsa sweetly, "there was something between us, but it could never be. He left England, you know, directly afterward. I do so hope that his life is not quite spoiled."

So Elsa struck the last blow. But then she was never hampered even by the relics of a conscience.—Sketch.

### His Last Visit.

Stranger (to small boy)—Is your neighbor Jones at home?

Small Boy—No, sir. He went to the cemetery this morning.

"When will he return?"

"He's gone to stay."—Texas Siftings.

## Do Any of These Hit Your Case?

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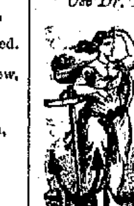
**Is Your Blood Pure, Vitality Low?**

*Use Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy.*



I was a weak and miserable man completely run down a year ago last spring. I took DR. KENNEDY'S FAVORITE REMEDY; it made me well and strong, increased my weight to 171 lbs., and although I am 71 years old I can do a good day's work with ease and comfort.
A. M. GREENWOOD, Clinton Corners, N. Y.

**Are Your Kidneys Disordered, Bowels Constipated?**

*Use Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy.*

I was very sick with Kidney Disease; had three different Doctors attending me, but I continued to grow worse. I then in despair took the matter in my own hands and commenced using DR. KENNEDY'S FAVORITE REMEDY, and before I had used the first bottle I was much improved, and another bottle completely restored me to health. I have recommended it to dozens of people and have yet to hear of one that has not been benefited from its use.
JOS. MCGIFFERT, Catskill, N. Y.

**Do You Have Pains in the Back, Headache, Dingy Colored Urine? Beware of these, they are Symptoms of Bright's Disease.**

*Use Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy.*

I suffered from the above symptoms, neglected them and was finally obliged to take to my bed, which I kept for three years. Six different physicians attended me and they all pronounced my trouble Bright's Disease. I had given up all hope of ever being cured, when I happened to see advertised DR. KENNEDY'S FAVORITE REMEDY. I bought a bottle, and when that was used I found myself a little better. I kept on using it and in a short time I was entirely cured. Can now work all day and weigh thirty-five pounds more than I ever did. If any one who may chance to read this has any of these symptoms, try this medicine for it will save your life as it has mine.
MRS. N. E. WHITNEY, Hillsboro, N. Y.

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Syrup of Figs is for sale in 50c and $1 bottles by all leading druggists. Any reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will procure it promptly for any one who wishes to try it. Do not accept any substitute.

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### Whispers Below.

They're treading around
All over our heads;
They think we are dead
Down in our brown beds.

Oh, Pansy and Pink,
Speak softly, speak low!
Says sweet Mignonette,
Let nobody know

By any faint sound
Or any light breath
That we are awaking
From what they call death.

Oh, Bachelor's Button
And Larkspur so blue,
What could be bluer
And fresher than you?

Oh, Pansy and Pink,
Oh, Lily and Rose,
They'll see us again
In beautiful clothes.

Rich garments we weave
Down in this brown mold;
Rich garments we weave
Of scarlet and gold.

Delicate garments
With tints of the skies;
In glorious colors
We'll all of us rise!

But softly, speak low,
Down in this brown mold;
Until we come out
Let nothing be told.
—Rosalie Vandewater in Hamilton Spectator.

### The Basis of Good Coffee.

An ideal cup of coffee can, it is said, be made only in one way. The coffee must be of the best quality and must be roasted, ground immediately and used as quickly as possible. Connoisseurs in coffee assure us that it is out of the question to make this beverage absolutely perfect out of factory roasted coffee that has been allowed to stand in the open air any number of hours; and, in addition, one might say that such a thing as a cup of good coffee from that which is purchased ready ground is quite an impossibility. The fine aroma of the berry evaporates in a very short time.

Given the freshly roasted and ground coffee, an earthen coffeepot heated very hot by being filled with boiling water, which must be poured out again, and a coffee bag strainer. Then put in the coffee, ground very fine, almost to a powder, pour upon it boiling water—not merely hot—cover tightly and allow the coffee to filter through. Have ready the cups, heated by pouring boiling water in them, put in the required quantity of cream and sugar, then fill up with the distilled nectar from the coffeepot, and one has a beverage that is a revelation. Never expect good results from poor coffee or lukewarm water and half cold utensils.—New York Ledger.

### Fine Quarters For Christian Young Men.

La Salle clubhouse walls, hand [illegible] with the tales of gay life, will soon echo gospel hymns and exhortations. The money for its purchase by the Young Men's Christian association has all been subscribed save $4,000 and the time of opening extended until the new occupants can raise the remainder. The transfer will be made in a few days. The house, which contains 23 rooms, is one of the finest on the West Side. It is of white marble, with a large addition, which will be made into a gymnasium, audience hall and bowling alleys. The association will buy the club furniture, it being included in the $30,000 necessary to secure the ownership of the place. There are at present 600 members in the West Side division of the association, but with the new headquarters an effort will be made to increase the roll to 1,500.—Chicago Herald.

### Not Up In American Geography.

The congenital inability of the British mind to master the trivial details of American geography was never more strikingly illustrated than in the London Lancet's recent report upon the Chicago water supply. This was a long and very carefully prepared paper, whose main conclusions are doubtless as accurate as human skill can make them, yet in the opening paragraph we are gravely informed that a portion of the sewage "is pumped over a lock into a canal, which carries it far south into the Missouri and eventually into the Mississippi river." Evidently The Lancet man is blissfully ignorant of the fact that the Missouri, a river larger than a hundred of the Thames, and draining a region upon which all Britain would be but a patch, comes from the other side of the Mississippi.—New York Recorder.

### Even Machines Must Rest.

To the town council of Southport, England, belongs the honor of having reduced Sabbatarianism to an absurdity. Not content with decreeing that all shopkeepers shall rest from their labors on Sunday, this delightful body has decided that the same rule shall apply to automatic machines. Six days these overworked automatons may labor, but on the seventh day they must disregard the pennies introduced into their interior on pain of fine or imprisonment.—Exchange.

### Singing Songs In the Oil Well.

A well known member of the Petroleum Exchange is wondering why oil and religion do not mix well. He is the superintendent of an up town Sunday school, which fact is known to his brother bulls and bears. When he ventures to do business and make a [illegible] trade or sale, his associates form a line, block his way and sing in chorus, "Teacher, teacher, how I love my Sunday school." This, he says, he finds has a depressing effect on business.—Philadelphia Press.

### GOOSE LORE.

**How and When to Pluck the Fowls—Care of the Goslings.**

In answer to the query, "How often in one season ought geese to be picked?" a farmer with 14 years' experience answers in the Philadelphia Farm Journal that it depends entirely on the feed and run and explains the whole situation as follows:

They feather out quicker where they are permitted to run on green pasture and have abundance of good water to drink. Every 10 weeks should find them under such treatment, with a good coat of feathers. Do not pick them until the laying process is over. Geese cannot be artificially molting and laying strong eggs at the same time. Never pick in cold weather. When ready to pick, which the experienced geese raiser can tell by the color of the plumage (if ready there will be no yellowish tinge on the white feathers, but to be sure pick a few feathers from the breast of the goose), the feathers come easily and are dry at the quill end. If not ripe, they are soft and bloody. And this is one of the reasons that store bought feathers sometimes have such a disagreeable odor.

Our best guide, experience, tells us to take only a small pinch of feathers in the fingers at a time, and with a quick downward jerk, from tail to neck, displace first one coat of the feathers, and only very little of the second coat, the down. Do not pick the bolsters, those large feathers under the wings. If you do, the poor creatures' wings will droop continually. When dead, we can strip the feathers from the center stem for filling pillows for home use. But never take them from the geese while living.

I remember shuddering slightly as I walked out with a friend in a neighboring goose run to see the almost naked, bewildered appearance of the geese, breasts and thighs bare and sunburned, wings drooping, almost no plumage save a little headgear and strip down the back. At my horrified expression my friend laughed. "Oh," said she, "this woman gets them ready for the oven while she is at it." And of course she waited just so much longer for her next crop of feathers than the neighbor who picked in moderation.

And as to the goslings the authority quoted says: Cause at once to run after them. The old goose will lead them to pasture now, select tiny stones for their digestive organs, turn them over when they wabble onto their backs, or shriek so loudly that you will divine their anguish, rush out and aid them once in awhile. If you feel as if you must coddle them a little, a portable pasture fence made of four panels of fence, two long and two short ones nailed together and moved whenever the pasture is needed, will answer. But geese are geese, so don't be surprised if you go out and find a gosling hanging with broken neck through the panels. Hereafter the first day or two turn them loose with the old goose. If more than one goose is sitting, keep the one first hatched out of sight of the hatching sitters, or every [illegible] will leave her nest and run [illegible] she will [illegible] at the risk of [illegible].

### It Is Time to Spray.

[illegible] of fruit [illegible] the following are [illegible] advised at the Ohio experiment station:

[illegible] Mixture—Copper sulphate, 4 pounds; quicklime, 4 pounds; water, [illegible] copper sulphate [illegible] when cold.

Copper carbonate solution is made by [illegible] copper carbonate in [illegible] ammonia and adding to [illegible] gallons of water.

The [illegible] applied [illegible] before [illegible] after [illegible] the third [illegible].

[illegible]

### Stable Manure.

Stable manure is a complete fertilizer, it [illegible] having all of the elements of plant food, and yet it is rarely worth over [illegible] per ton. So you [illegible] high grade, complete [illegible] and it would still be a [illegible] fertilizer, because it would [illegible] three valuable elements of plant food and in the same relative proportion, says Southern Farmer.

### This Is Every Farmer Wants to Know.

[illegible] City, Ia., has achieved distinction in times past with her corn palaces, but it is proposed that the Columbian year shall witness the greatest triumph in this direction. A "corn festival" has been fixed for opening at Sioux City on the 20th of September next, to continue until Oct. 15.

Europe has awoke to the knowledge that corn is a fit food for man, and there is consequently a growing demand for American corn abroad. At present Europe imports each year 61,600,000 bushels. Of this the United States send 55,000,000 bushels, the balance coming from Egypt and Argentina.

To polish horns for ornament, boil until the inside can be easily removed, scrape with glass and rub down with powdered pumice stone and linseed oil.

The best way to make a cistern, according to a correspondent in the Philadelphia Farm Journal, is to dig it oblong, wall up as usual, and at the same time run up a partition wall in the center of one brick wide, good bricks laid in cement, but not to cement the sides of partition. Then flow all the water in one section. It will filter through and give you pure water.

Some gardeners plant beets two feet apart and sow the intervening row with radishes.

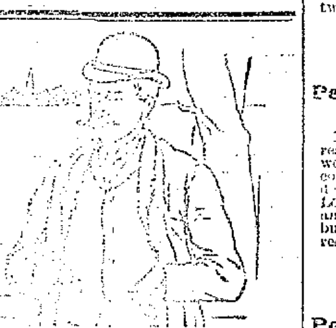
### Mrs. Frank's Mistake.

As Mrs. Frank, surrounded by her household goods, sat on the sidewalk in front of the house from which she had been evicted for nonpayment of rent, she remarked plaintively that had she "preached less and attended to household duties more" she would not be in her present fix, or, in other words, "this is the result of too much Christianity." She should have said passive and false Christianity, for it has passed into a proverb that "God helps those who help themselves." Mrs. Weller, the elder, saw her mistake a little too late, though she was brave enough to confess to the redoubtable Tony that running after the red nosed Preacher Stiggins was a neglect of the marriage contract. The sort of Christianity that drives a man away from home, breaks up a family and leads to shiftlessness is not the Christianity expounded in the able epistles of St. Paul.

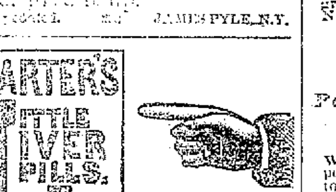
Opposed to the turbulent experience of Mr. and Mrs. Frank was the life of Mr. and Mrs. Opp, who, after 57 years of married life, died on the same day. This is one of the pretty stories that sometimes creep into print, illustrating a happy exit that every young couple would pray for.—New York World

### Japanese Slow Moving Clocks.

Although the Japanese clocks are divided into the same number of sections as ours, the hands travel one-half as fast. The day has six hours and the night as many, so the entire round from sun to sun contains but twelve hours, each equivalent to two of the length to which we are accustomed.—New York Recorder.



*Matchless* for any purpose of cleanliness. [illegible] Nothing [illegible] nothing [illegible] cleans [illegible] washes [illegible] It does [illegible] any soap, anything [illegible] can do. Any [illegible] will tell you how cheap it is, but it is so dear to her that she will never give it up.
JAMES PYLE, N.Y.



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Carter's Little Liver Pills are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not gripe or purge, but by their gentle action please all who use them. In vials at 25 cents; five for $1. Sold by druggists everywhere, or sent by mail.

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## RHEUMATISM

that made my life one of agony. After suffering four years I gave up all remedies and commenced using S. S. S. After taking several bottles, I was entirely cured and able to resume work. [S.S.S.] is the greatest medicine for blood poisoning to-day on the market."

Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free. Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.

## STREET PAVING—NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received by the City Clerk of the city of Lima, or by R. H. Gamble, Assistant Engineer, in [illegible] of street paving, [illegible] standard time of [illegible] and opened immediately thereafter, for the paving of the Public [illegible] of Lima, Ohio, with vitrified [illegible] brick, [illegible] with curbing, catch basins, manholes, etc., incident thereto, in accordance with plans and specifications on file in the office of the Engineer. All bids which [illegible] furnished by the Engineer, which are not submitted on any other [illegible]. Proposals in said form [illegible] irregular [illegible] be rendered [illegible]. Each bid must [illegible] certified check [illegible] on some bank [illegible] payable to the [illegible] of the City Clerk, [illegible]. All [illegible] bids [illegible] days from the award of [illegible] contract, [illegible] shall refuse [illegible] a proper contract and [illegible] to the City Council [illegible] days from the time same [illegible] awarded to him, the [illegible] check or currency shall be forfeited [illegible] by the said city of Lima, [illegible] liquidated damages for such refusal or neglect, otherwise the said deposit will be returned to him.

Samples of brick [illegible] stone—and samples or [illegible] of iron sewer inlets must be submitted with bid.

The following are the approximate quantities of work:
[illegible] square yards of brick pavement.
[illegible] lineal feet of six (6) inch curbing.
[illegible] catch basins.
[illegible] basins.
[illegible] iron gutter crossings.
Together with the necessary tile drainage, etc.

The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids, before or after opening the same, which may be accompanied by samples of brick, which in the opinion of the Engineer will not meet the requirements of the specifications; and to accept any proposal which may be deemed most proper.

Specifications, forms of proposals, and other information may be had on application to R. H. Gamble, Assistant Engineer, Lima, Ohio.

By order of Council.
Lima, Ohio, April 15, 1893.
D. E. JONES,
President of Council.
C. S. DOUGLASS,
City Clerk. 4-25-1t

## LEGAL NOTICE.

John Marsh, residing in East Nodaway, Adams county, Iowa, William Marsh residing in East Nodaway, Adams county, Iowa, Benjamin Hurt, John Hurt, Lizzie Henry, Maggie Cummings, Joseph Hurt and —— Hurt, all residing in Hendersonville, Sumner county, Tennessee, Solomon Argo and Alexander Argo, both residing in Champaign City, Champaign county, Illinois, Robert Hall, whose residence is unknown, Nevill[e] Hall, whose residence is unknown, James Fuller, whose residence is unknown, Edwin Hall, whose residence is unknown, the unknown heirs of Elizabeth Coyrup, deceased, the unknown heirs of Edmund Grundy, deceased, and all heirs of David Marsh, late of Jackson township, Allen county, Ohio, deceased will take notice that on the 10th day of October, A. D. 1892, Mary E. Hedges filed her petition in the court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio, in case No. 7,121, against the above named parties and others, praying that she may have the allotment of David Marsh, late of Jackson township, Allen county, Ohio, deceased be set aside. Said parties are required to answer on or before the 10th day of June, 1893, or judgment may be taken against them.
MARY E. HEDGES.
By Walter B. Richie, her Attorney.
4-19 6wks d&w

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| No. 6† | Passenger acc., | leaves | ......... | 7 20 a m |
| No. 4† | " mail, | " | ......... | 2 00 p m |
| No. 2* | " Exp, | " | ......... | 7 50 p m |
| No. 42* | Local Freight, | " | ......... | 8 15 a m |

WEST BOUND FROM LIMA.

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| No. 1* | passenger, mail, | " | ......... | 9 35 a m |
| No. 3* | " Exp, | " | ......... | 1 20 a m |
| No. 5† | " Acc., | arrives | ......... | 4 55 p m |
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NORTH BOUND.

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| No 28................ | 2 41 a m | 2 46a m |
| " 2................ | 8 55 a m | 9 a m |
| " 6................ | 1 15 p m | 1:35 pm |
| " 16................ | 6 p m | 6 20 pm |
| " 10................ | 9 20 p m | |
| " 60, Sunday only........ | 7 35 a m | 7 40 a m |
| " 62, Sunday only........ | 9 20 p m | |

SOUTH BOUND.

| | ARRIVE | LEAVE |
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| No. 11................ | | 6 15 a m |
| " 1................ | 9 20 a m | 9 30 a m |
| " 5................ | 12 25 a m | 12 45 p m |
| " 9................ | 5 55 p m | 6 15 p m |
| " 7................ | 2 00 a m | 2 05 a m |
| " 61, Sunday only........ | | 7 05 a m |

Train No. 113 leaves Toledo at 6 00 pm; arrives at Findlay at 8 25 p m.

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Corrected time table effective Dec. 6th, 1892.
W. L. O'BRIEN, Ticket Agent.

## ERIE LINES.

SCHEDULE IN EFFECT MAY 14, 1893.

From Lima, Ohio.

TRAINS WEST.

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| No 5 | Vestibule Limited, daily for Chicago and the West............ | 2:02 p. m |
| " 3 | Pacific Express, daily for Chicago and the West............ | 12:55 a. m. |
| " 1 | Express daily, except Sunday for Chicago and the West......... | 10:40 a m |
| " 31 | ........................ | 7:00 a m |

TRAINS EAST.

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| No 8 | Vestibule Limited, daily for New York and Boston............ | 8:50 p. m |
| " 12 | Express, daily, for New York... | 2:50 a. m |
| " 2 | Accommodation, daily, except Sunday............ | 3.30 p. m |
| " 32 | ........................ | 7.00 a. m |

FRANK C. McCOY, Agent.

## SHERIFF'S SALE.

The Ohio National Bank of Lima, Ohio, Plaintiff,
vs
W. H. Harper, Jr. et al., Defendant.
} Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, MAY 27th, A. D. 1893,

Between the hours of 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Being the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of section thirty-six (36), township three (3) south, range six (6) east, and described as follows: Beginning on the east line and 20 feet north of the southeast corner of said quarter section; thence west on the north line of the county road 70 feet; thence north 200 feet; thence east 70 feet; thence south 200 feet to the place of beginning, containing 32-100 acres of land.

Also the southwest corner of the northeast quarter of said section, beginning at the west line and 20 feet north of the southwest corner of said quarter section; thence north 200 feet; thence east 87 feet; thence south 200 feet to north line of county road; thence west 87 feet to the place of beginning, containing 17-100 acres of land.

Also the southwest corner of outlot No. 5 in Baxter & Cherry's addition to Lima, Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning 20 feet north of the southwest corner of said outlot; thence north 200 feet; thence east 95 feet; thence south 200 feet to the north line of the county road; thence west to the place of beginning, containing 43 100 acres of land.

Appraised at $635.
Terms of sale cash.

LAWRENCE O'NEILL,
Sheriff Allen county, Ohio.

Cunningham, Mead and Mowen Plaintiff's attorneys.
Lima, Ohio, April 25th, 1893.

## EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as Executor of the last will and testament of the estate of William R. Colvin, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.
HARMON M. COLVIN,
d&w Executor.

## Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of the estate of Valentine Wright, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.
JOHN STONER,
Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed.

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There is nothing I h[...] muscular rheumatism [...] much relief as Chambe[...] does. I have been usin[...] years—four bottles in a[...] quired, and always kee[...] my home. I believe I [...] when I get hold of it, a[...] best liniment I have ev[...] Denny, dairyman, New[...] 50 cent bottles for sal[...] druggist, next to post o[...]

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Jasper—Brown never [...] door-bell nowadays. [...] go away.

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### Best of [...]

To cleanse the system i[...] beneficial manner, wh[...] comes, use the true [...] Syrup of Figs. One bo[...] all the family and costs [...] large size $1. Try [...] Manufactured by the C[...] Co., only.

### Poor Gia[...]

"I've such a joke on [...]
"Oh, do tell me."
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### A Pointer for[...]

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"Lazy! That's no na[...] run half a mile to catc[...] blocks.

Headache, neuralgia, [...] ness, spasms, sleepless[...] pepsia, dullness, blues, [...] Nervine discovered by [...] Specialist in nervous d[...] Fine books and trial bo[...] ville's drug store, or [...] Medical Co., Elkhart, I[...]

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"You object to my pl[...] Smart doesn't to her hu[...] the game."

"No, but he always [...] contrary, you always l[...]

### A Popular [...]

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### City Teachers [...]

The Board of Exam[...] city schools will hold [...] examiners room in th[...] Court House, for the p[...] applicants for position[...] city schools, on May 2[...] Examination will begi[...] afternoon of the 20th.

Those desiring to ap[...] the primary grades wi[...] special reference to th[...] primary teachers.

By order of the City [...] ers. D. C. [...]
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| No. 60 Sunday only | 7:35 a. m. | 7:40 a. m. |
| No. 62 Sunday only | 9:20 p. m. | |

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| No. 11 | | 6:15 a. m. |
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| No. 5 | 12:25 a. m. | 12:45 p. m. |
| No. 9 | 5:55 p. m. | 6:10 p. m. |
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| No. 6, accommodation | 7:20 a m |
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| No. 42, local | 6:15 a m |

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| No. 1, mail | 9:35 a m |
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### Paper Stockings.

Paper stockings are said to be a new German invention. A Berlin shoe trade journal says that the stockings are made of a specially prepared impregnated paper stock, which, it is claimed, has an extraordinary effect on perspiring feet. The moisture is absorbed by the paper as rapidly as it is formed, and the feet remain dry and warm, while the constant temperature maintained in the shoe is said to be a great preventive of colds.

### A Dairyman's Opinion.

There is nothing I have ever used for muscular rheumatism that gives me as much relief as Chamberlain's Pain Balm does. I have been using it for about two years—four bottles in all—as occasion required, and always keep a bottle of it in my home. I believe I know a good thing when I get hold of it, and Pain Balm is the best liniment I have ever met with. W. R. Denny, dairyman, New Lexington, Ohio. 50 cent bottles for sale by Melville, the druggist, next to post office.

### Hard of Hearing.

Jasper—Brown never seems to hear his door-bell nowadays. People ring and then go away.

Jumpupp—Of course he can't hear it. He is over his ears in debt.

### Best of All

To cleanse the system in a gentle and truly beneficial manner, when the Springtime comes, use the true and perfect remedy, Syrup of Figs. One bottle will answer for all the family and costs only 50 cents; the large size $1. Try it and be pleased. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., only.

### Poor Clarence.

"I've such a joke on Clarence."

"Oh, do tell me."

"He asked me to be a sister to him and I told him that I would be his wife. He took me in earnest and is miserable."

### A Pointer for Travelers.

While Mr. T. J. Richey, of Altona, Mo., was traveling in Kansas he was taken violently ill with cholera morbus. He called at a drug store to get some medicine and the druggist recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy so highly that he concluded to try it. The result was immediate relief, and a few doses cured him completely. It is made for bowel complaint and nothing else. It never fails. For sale by Melville, the druggist, next to post office.

### A Lazy Man.

"He's lazy, you say?"

"Lazy! That's no name for it. He'll run half a mile to catch a car to ride two blocks.

Headache, neuralgia, dizziness nervousness, spasms, sleeplessness, nervous dyspepsia, dullness, blues, are cured by the Nervine discovered by the eminent Indiana Specialist in nervous diseases, Dr. Miles. Fine books and trial bottles free at Melville's drug store, or address The Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

### A Good Deal of Difference.

"You object to my playing poker? Mrs. Smart doesn't to her husband engaging in the game."

"No, but he always wins, while on the contrary, you always lose."

### A Popular Remedy.

The promptness and certainty of its cures have made Chamberlain's Cough Remedy famous. It is intended especially for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough, and it is the most effectual remedy known for these diseases. Mr. C. B. Main, of Union City, Pa., says: "I have a great sale on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I warrant every bottle and have never heard of one failing to give entire satisfaction." 50 cent bottles for sale by Melville, the druggist, next to postoffice.

### City Teachers Examination.

The Board of Examiners of the Lima city schools will hold a meeting at the examiners room in the basement of the Court House, for the purpose of examining applicants for positions as teachers in the city schools, on May 26th and 27th, 1893. Examination will begin at 3 o'clock on the afternoon of the 26th.

Those desiring to apply for positions in the primary grades will be examined with special reference to their qualications as primary teachers.

By order of the City Board of Examiners. D. C. HENDERSON, Secy.

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### It Should be in Every Home.

J. B. Wilson, 371 Clay street, Sharpsburg Pa, says he will not be without Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, that it cured his wife, who was threatened with Pneumonia, after an attack of "La Grippe," when various other remedies and several physicians had done her no good. Robert Barber, of Cooksport, Pa., claims Dr. King's New Discovery has done him more good than anything he ever used for Lung Trouble. Nothing like it. Try it Free trial bottles at Melville's Drug Store. Large bottles, 50c. and $1 00.

**Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.**

### Vindicating Him.

"He said I was either a fool or a knave."

"He did? Well, then, I could tell him I have known you longer than he has, and I can swear you're no knave."

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

### To Muncie, Ind., and Return for $2.55.

The German Baptist Brethern will hold their annual conference this year at Muncie, Ind., May 19th to 26th. For this occession the L. E. & W. railroad will sell tickets from May 17th to 23d at one fare for the round trip. Tickets good returning June 30th.

J. C. BUCH, Ticket Agent.

### Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Melville Bros.

### Carpets!

Largest stock—Best makes—Lowest prices—Best workmen, at Bell's.

### An Advantage Men Have.

The longer I live the more firmly convinced I am that men have the advantage of women in everything in life, and we shall never be their equals in the struggle till we can have many more of their privileges than custom is willing to grant us now. For instance, if a man wants a new spring suit he simply goes to see his tailor—the same tailor he has patronized for years. The tailor shows him one line of cloth. The happy man gives a quick but comprehensive look at the goods, selects that which suits his taste from the group of materials that suits his pocket, and the deed is done. He relies on his tailor's judgment as to whether the coat shall be sack, cutaway or frock, and so walks off.

It never occurs to a man to get samples of the goods and then run around to every other tailor shop in town to see if he can't get a bargain or a little bit cheaper material that would "look just as well." It never occurs to a man to "talk it over" with every male friend, to discuss the new cut in trousers and whether such a color would be becoming to him. He relies on his tailor to furnish not only a reasonably good style to his suit, but also one that is suited to his customer's individuality.

Imagine a man getting on a street car and meeting two men friends and producing a lot of samples, saying: "Old Charley, I want to show you some samples I got of my new coat. Now, don't you think I'm too dark to wear that color? But it's so cheap," etc., etc., while Charley and Frank gave their opinions and inspected the samples. Wouldn't it be funny?

Then Charley should say (to make the scene complete): "Yes, but that's old! Why, they were goods like that all last year. John Jerome had some from us just like that."—Chicago News-Record

### A Hotel Bell.

"Let me look at the letters in the B box, please," said a man to the clerk in one of the up town hotels this morning.

The elegantly attired gentleman behind the marble bestowed a stony stare upon the other individual and in his most icy tones demanded:

"What name, sir?"

"Brown—Alfred Brown."

"We have no mail here for you, sir," said the clerk in accents that froze into icicles as the words dropped from his lips. "You will probably find it at the postoffice."

"This set of bores," said the clerk, "is the worst that beset us. The men who lounge in our easy chairs, swipe our stationery and make themselves generally at home in the lobby are nothing compared to the fellow who will have his mail sent in the care of the hotel of which he is not and has never been a guest. The public have no idea what a terrible nuisance and how much time is consumed in dealing with these individuals. As soon as we get onto their racket we send the letters back to the postoffice. Many men will take a room for a day or night at a hotel and then go to a boarding or lodging house, just for the purpose of having their mail sent to our care and so they can afterward use our stationery. We quickly tumble to them and send their mail back to the postoffice, and in nine cases out of ten this will freeze them out."—Washington Star.

### A Great Event Missed.

"Come heah ter me," said an old negro to his son. "Come heah for me, sah! Why didn't yer come down ter de baptizin like I tole yer ter? Oughter to be 'shamed o' yesso'f. Gwine die one o' dese days, an de ole debil gwine ter git yer, dat's what he gwine ter do. Why didn't yer come down dar, say?"

"'Cause I went roun ter de jailyard ter see Uncle Ben hung."

"Look heah, he wuzn't hung terday, wuz he?"

"Yas, sah."

"Why, I thought dat fack wouldn't come off till naixt week. How de he do?"

"Oh, he drapped an sorter slack his feet er little."

"Did, hah?"

"Yes, sah."

"Did he sing an pray any fore he drapped?"

"Yes, sah, an shouted."

"He did?"

"Yes, sah."

After a moment of reflection the old man ruefully added: "Confoun dat blune baptizin, done cheated me outen dis fac. Folks will think dat I didn't hab no respeck for dat brudder o' mine, nohow. I 'spize ter see er pusson wid sich er po' recolockshun."—Arkansaw Traveler.

### Philadelphia Ministers Use Typewriters.

Several ministers of churches in this city have learned the art of typewriting, and instead of using pen and ink when inditing sermons employ the means popular with business men. A reporter a few Sundays ago called on a pastor of a prosperous up town congregation for an abstract of his sermon. The lively music of a typewriter was the only sound which broke the silence of the antecoom in the sacred edifice. But no fair haired damsel presided over the machine—only the divine, who was industriously completing his work as he found most convenient.—Philadelphia Press.

### Lactated Food Saves Babies' Lives

We have absolute proof from mothers and physicians that in thousands of cases lactated food has saved babies' lives when other foods had failed. Forty of these letters in a book, with the pictures of the children, sent free on application. Wells, Richardson & Co., Burlington, Vt.

**Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.**

### THE BAD YEAR.

May, blighted by keen frosts, passed on to June—
No blooms, but many a stalk with drooping leaves,
And arid summer wilted these full soon,
And autumn gathered up no wealthy sheaves.
Plaintive October saddened for the year,
But wild November raged that hope was past,
Shrieking, "All days of life are made how drear—
Wild whirls of snow, and death comes driving fast."
Yet came December, when the winds fell low,
And cold, calm light with sunshine tinkled clear,
Heartbound to bells more sweet than long ago
And meditated in a mind sincere:
"Beneath these snows shining from yon red west
How sleep the blooms of some delighted May,
And June shall riot, lovely as the best
That flung than odors forth on all their way.
Yes, she of spring, the balms of her soft breath,
Her lut like voice, the child-joy in her air,
Her gentle colors"—sane December saith—
"They come, they come—O heart, sigh not "They were."

—E. W. Thomson in Youth's Companion.

## FOR WEAL OR WOE.

Doubtless Jane Dobbins and Arthur Lathers thought that they were very clever when, in the first bloom of young love, they had a memorial photograph taken together with her gentle head fondly resting on his gallant breast. There were to be only two impressions struck from the plate, and, oh! what a consolation each one would be for the awful hours of separation—an ever present sign of ineffable bliss! But they never fancied that the plate retained its reproductive powers, nor that it was destined to fall into the hands of the vengeful George Percy, and when they reckoned without George Percy they reckoned without a host.

For this young man was romantic of temperament and ingenious of mind. From his earliest perception he had known and loved Jane Dobbins. From his earliest perception he had vowed that she should be his, and so in the heyday of his discretion, having seen her ruthlessly torn from his mental embrace through the diabolical arts of a hated rival, he swore that he would have his revenge. Of course he must dissemble—that was an essential of the passion. Arthur and he had always been good comrades, and so they must continue. He must congratulate the happy pair with false words and a hollow smile. He must, and he did.

But time was his friend, so avaunt despair! The lovers were young, and their complacent parents had declared that they must wait. Ahe! Was he not man enough from the nettle Opportunity to pluck the flower Success? Only bring on the nettle! Meanwhile he would watch and wait. It was at the acme of this conviction than Arthur one evening in a flood of that crass confidence, which is half the pleasure of being in love, showed the picture to George. Alas, the blindness of fate! Among the mental ingredients of which George was endowed was a very partly taste for the natural sciences. Chemistry, through its facility in producing light from darkness, and from silence and smell from scentlessness, had always appealed to his unimaginative qualities.

At school he had been allowed the run of the labratory—and sometimes a run from it—and there was nothing in the nature of smoke, stench or explosion which he had not generated. He went further in a day than Faraday did in his whole life, and as for Darwin he could tie a cat in knots without half thinking, in fact, in time photography became a deft handmaiden to him, and his systems were chemical not chimerical.

He had gained a well deserved reputation as an amateur operator, and, it so happened, had long been in the habit of developing, in work in the very gallery where the evening before had so wantonly made light of his sacred emotions. And more, he was so engaging in manner and so generous in returning favors that he had the use of the establishment and some one went as it his will was a command, a fickle by being his guide by night. All of this Arthur well knew, and filled with confidence in target in the self-satisfaction of displacing his happiness.

But there he reckoned, and when he had developed and read the maker's name on the back of the photograph he could scarce restrain a shout and the conventional chuckle for fiendish revenge. In a flash a plan and a whole gradually developed into a full grown purpose. He could, he would, he did. He knew many a secret of the craft. Now was the time to call that knowledge to his aid. One night he searched, and he found the plate. He searched further and he found the sister of Susie Graham, a great friend of Arthur's and of Robert Prince, an ardent admirer of Jane's. With infinite care he prepared new plates, and 1.4 when he had developed them and took their impressions there were two pictures, one of Arthur and Susie and the other of Robert and Jane, in the identical conjunction of affection in which it had seemed clever to Arthur and Jane to exploit their young love.

"Ah!" he cried George with a half suppressed diabolical laugh as he pulled his hair over his brow and rolled his eyes, which shone with an infernal fire. "Ahal I have them on the hip, and I'll feed fat the ancient grudge I owe them."

And well he might laugh as one who laughed last. The following week the little Jane, while dreaming idly of her felicity, received an anonymous package and wept. The following week the ardent Arthur, while impatiently counting the days of his probation, received an anonymous package and swore. The next day two notes, pregnant with grief and resentment, crossed each other.

FRIEND ARTHUR—I return the ring and other presents. All is over. So never, never speak again to JANE.

PERSONAL JANE—Since you no longer love me, I beg to inform you that all your letters and the slipper you sent me last Christmas. I think they are just his size. I remain, yours indignantly, ARTHUR.

read the other.

"How shameless!" sobbed Jane when she received the letter. "What nerve!" growled Arthur as he tore the former into bits. And thereafter the hearts that had beat as one throbbed most independently as two.

Arthur was seen smoking on the street, and that became a warning of dissipation. And George, who now called assiduously on Jane, found his anticipated joys almost as enlivening as a Quaker meeting, for the poor child was glum and distraught and too simple to hide it. Her cheeks grew wan, and the sparkle of her eyes declined into melancholy. Her parents became alarmed, fearing a decline, and as absence is a remedy long since declared standard they decided to send her on a visit to her Aunt Abigail in the metropolis.

George heard the tidings with consternation. Was this the end of his chicanery? Then he had been deceived. Heroines truly had the unpleasant habit of fading, but they always married the villain before acquiring it. Must he yield to remorse, to despair? No; at least he knew when she was going—at least he might receive her parting glance. So he hied to the station and entered the car where she sat listless and dejected. "Goodby, Jane," he whispered. "Will you not write to me? You know how constant I've been even when it was hopeless."

"I hate you!" told the girl, with a sudden burst of instinctive passion.

And George sped to his room and butted his head against the wall—but not too violently, for it was but lath and plaster, and his landlord was unfeeling—and vowed that of all sour things the sweets of revenge were the sourest. Thereby he dimly perceived that treachery is a boomerang in unskillful hands.

Meanwhile Arthur, having established recklessness, did not pursue it. He was energetic in business, and sorrow made him more so, thus requiting him with pecuniary damages. His employers sent him to the west, where he was successful in his mission. This mission then took him to the metropolis, where he reassured its success and made himself famous. Misfortune is a sickening dose to swallow, but once down it may change depression into exultation and tears into smiles.

But Arthur didn't think so. It is easy to philosophize after the scar, but not while the wound is yet raw. He was very blue when leisure permitted his thoughts to be absorbed with self and grew fond of thrusting his hands deep in his pockets and moodily soliloquizing, "It was always so," probably from a childish reminiscence of "that dear gazelle."

One wintry afternoon during his stay in the metropolis, being especially misanthropic and time dragging with him, Arthur got into an up town stage, for its lumbering misery seemed commensurate to his humor. He ensconced himself in one of the farther corners, and in each jolt and bump discovered similitude to the course of his existence. Passengers came and went, but he heeded them not. They went more than they came, until he was alone, alone with the straw, and the rattling glass, and the dangling straps. Then he likened himself to a prisoner in a tumbrel on the way to execution and became almost cheerful in the thought. Oh, if it were only true! He would send a lock of his hair dipped in his blood by one of the haughty minions, and then her stony heart would melt—that being a natural attribute of all stones.

The stage stopped. A young lady entered and took a seat by the door. She extended her fare, and Arthur forgot himself sufficiently to take it. As he did so he gasped, and well he might, for it was Jane's little hand that he touched—his Jane, alas, his no longer! What was she doing alone in the great city? Could she be lost, or wandering from a disorder of reason? Could she have recognized him from a distance and followed through the throng? No, she seemed composed and at ease—indeed far too much so. She evidently had not noticed him, for her eyes were demurely cast down. She had not, and she should not. Arthur drew his hat over his brow, but not so low as to prevent him from glancing askance, in which he found a proper though melancholy pride, and shrank back in his corner as much as the vibrations would permit.

Oh, how pretty, how sweet she looked! Was it possible that one so fair could be so false? Yet were not these terms correlative, and was not seeing believing? Had he not the damning proof in his inside pocket, gnawing away his vitals like a Spartan boy's fox? But yet she was so pretty, so sweet! Did ever coquette possess such a pure face, such a maidenly mien? Yet she had allowed her picture to be taken with Robert Prince in that very position which their troth had sanctified, and who knew but that half the young men of their native town had similar trophies? Oh, yes, she was so pretty, so sweet, but beauty was only skin deep. Alas! Arthur found only faint consolation in the saying, for he realized that like Mercutio's wound it was quite deep enough for him.

Arthur sighed so fervently that he must have attracted notice, but at this instant the stage lurched and fell to one side. There was a scream, a shout, and for a moment the separated lovers were as thoroughly mixed up as their unfortunate affairs were, for one of the hind wheels of the vehicle had come off and rolled away as if disgusted with lack of patronage, and about to set up business on its own account.

The attraction of the accident was speedily overcome by the repulsion of recognition.

"Mr. Lathers!" cried Jane, and bounded on the uppermost seat like a chamois.

"Miss Dobbins!" growled Arthur, making a dive for the door. But it was jammed. Push and strain as he might, he could not budge it. The only result of his exertion was a very red face, whose glow Jane seemed to catch and faintly reflect. He tried a window, but as he felt as much like a camel as it looked like a needle's eye he soon desisted, and sinking into the lower corner, which gave him the sensation of being caught in a chasm, he abandoned himself to Werterlike despair.

The driver now leisurely descended and stood at one side, proud in the faith that his horses required no attention from him, as they yet had sufficient strength to stand alone.

"Yez 'ull hev to stay in until yez gits out," he said consolingly. "But I'll not be after chargin' yez dooble."

By this time a crowd had collected and began, after the fashion of crowds, to theorize regarding the accident. Some maintained that it was of no moment since the stage would go as comfortably on three wheels as it had on four. Others that the imprisoned passengers were lucky in their confinement, since if it was protracted there would be no lack of fare. A messenger boy in a piping voice volunteered to run for a doctor and provoked incredulous laughter at the likelihood of his running. This gave Arthur a chance to display his magnanimity.

"Stand back," he shouted, "and give the lady air." As if a stage ever wanted for this essential except in warm weather!

But the throng, impressed by his vehemence, withdrew to the sidewalk, and stamped feet and chafed ears as if, like the Roman sentinels at Pompeii, they couldn't desert their posts—i. e., lamp-posts.

"Thank you, Mr. Lathers," said Jane in tones akin to the tip of her nose.

"There was a time when you wouldn't have said 'Mr. Lathers,'" replied Arthur.

"Yes, and not an hour ago."

"You knew me then?"

"I saw you. I didn't recognize you."

"And yet my heart is the same as of yore."

"Toward Susie? Yes? How interesting!"

"What am I to Susie, or Susie to me—I, who am maligned, bereft, discarded?"

"You should feel at ease now, Mr. Lathers."

"And why now, pray?"

"On the stage, you know. You are such an actor."

"At least I haven't the craze for indiscriminate picture taking. That seems to be a feminine characteristic."

"You haven't? To think that any camera could have twice sustained the shock of that smirk! Oh, it is too ridiculous!"

"I don't know what you mean."

"Oh, you do not?"

"Pray, Miss Dobbins, in this enforced association, which no one could regret more than I, let us not yield to idle recrimination. The past is dead; let the dead bury it. I shall await our deliverance with resignation, and then bid you godspeed."

"Some sort of speed would be acceptable. But 'resignation?' If that posture is your idea of resignation, I'd rather look uncomfortable."

"You have your wish. How is the view up there?"

"I can see a man in a well with the rope dangling just out of reach."

"Yes; he has escaped the noose."

"That is flattery for a contemptuous rejection."

"Miss Dobbins, permit me as an old family friend who has your best interests at heart to warn you to be more discreet. Our town is such a small place, and the young men are not sufficiently cultured to abstain from boastings. It is pleasant undoubtedly to have one's picture taken with one's best young man of the present. I know in my case you seemed delighted, but when these photographs multiply and begin to circulate like—like—er—comic valentine"——

"Mr. Lathers!"

"Hello!" cried Arthur as he suddenly bent forward.

"Ah!" screamed Jane as she dropped from her perch at the same instant.

Two heads then bumped as one. They recoiled, but again plunged forward, for each had seen half concealed in the straw a photograph which each had prized, but which the shock of the accident must have separated from their possession.

"That's mine," asserted Jane.

"That's mine," protested Arthur. And both having succeeded, Jane climbed triumphant to her eyrie; Arthur sank victorious into his chasm.

But why does Jane gasp and grow so pale? Why does Arthur mutter and flush so vividly? Why are the pictures held close to the light and examined narrowly, and then simultaneously torn into fragments? Why does Arthur hoist himself from the well and Jane come off the crag? Ah, kindly fate that set the wheel a-rolling and jammed the door and restricted the window frames has made George's treachery manifest. For in their haste Arthur had captured the photograph which Jane had treasured as proof of his duplicity, and Jane the one which Arthur had preserved as evidence of her fickleness.

There was a sudden movement forward and a hurrah from the crowd, for the lovers, gazing into each other's eyes, saw doubt change into faith, and aversion into devotion.

"It must have been that confounded George Percy," exclaimed Arthur.

"Forgive me, darling," sobbed Jane.

And they were infolded in a fond and ingenuous embrace.

No wonder the crowd surged and shouted. The streets of the metropolis are prolific of dramas indeed, but idyls are as scarce as daisies between the granite blocks. Cheer succeeded cheer, and when the messenger boy piped his intention of running for the parson the cheers grew more enthusiastic, and no incredulous laughter opposed.

"I'll retaliate on that Percy," said Arthur, "if it takes a lifetime."

"No, dear. Revenge pays its own debts. What has George accomplished except to make our faith in each other more assured?"

"You are right. You are always right. He will find it impossible to counteract the home pictures which I can foresee. Let him have the past of trickery. The future is ours, darling, for weal or woe."

"From 'wheel and whoa,'" replied Jane roguishly, with a suggestion of their accident.—New York Times.

### A Water Supply Under Every Barn.

Every barn should have a cistern under it, and especially if the barn have a basement for wintering stock. With suitable contrivances a supply of pure water may be provided, so that the water is shut off automatically when the vessel is filled to a certain height. This is done by a wooden valve resting on the water and buoyed up by it so that the water is shut off whenever it is needed. Such cisterns under barns have often furnished the water promptly so as to save serious losses from fire.—Albany Argus.

### A Wise Answer.

The shah once asked a group of courtiers whom they though the greater man, himself or his father. At first he could get no reply to so dangerous a question, the answer to which might cost the courtiers their heads. At last a wily old courtier said, "Your father, sire, for, though you are equal to your father in all other respects, in this he is superior to you—that he had a greater son than any you have."—Chatterbox.

### Astronomy Before Christ.

About 500 B. C. Anaxagoras of Ionia was born. When he "grew up in wisdom," he was the first to teach the course and cause of both solar and lunar eclipses and to give his followers rules whereby they could distinguish planets from fixed stars. He was punished for declaring that the sun was not a god.—St. Louis Republic.

### A Lost Lesson.

Mrs. Winkers (meaningly)—The paper says a man walked into a saloon yesterday afternoon, took a drink and dropped dead.

Mr. Winkers (solemnly)—Procrastination is a terrible thing. He should have taken his tonic sooner.—New York Weekly.

### A Sensitive Patient.

Dr. Emdeo—Feet go to sleep. That shows your circulation is bad.

Editor Daily Kazoo—That's all you quacks know. I suppose if my corns ached that would show that the advertising patronage was falling off.—New York Herald.

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## THE ECLIPSED SUN.

OBSERVATIONS GATHERED FROM ECLIPSES OF THE SUN.

**Conclusions of Eminent Astronomers Verified by Recent Photographs of the Sun's Corona as Seen During the Time That the Solar Body Was Hidden.**

When eclipsed, the majestic king of day condescendingly permits the structure of his mysterious appendages to be photographed and analyzed spectroscopically. Never in the whole history of astronomy has a finer opportunity for such work been afforded and so skillfully and completely improved by astronomers as that of the recent eclipse. The full harvest of their observations seems to promise some startling revelations.

M. Flammarion, the French astronomer, after reading the Chilian cable dispatches announcing Professor Pickering's recent eclipse observations, is reported to have said: "They confirm the theory that the sun is surrounded by a luminous atmosphere to a distance equal to one-eighth of the sun's diameter." Scarcely a quarter of a century ago many astronomers questioned whether the solar atmosphere had any marked extension, and even doubted whether the corona was a solar appendage at all. But in the light of the late eclipse it is not astonishing that an astronomer expresses the opinion that the sun's atmosphere extends outward more than 100,000 miles.

The eruptive forces of the sun must be enormous indeed to eject the matter composing the flaming prominences not infrequently observed 40,000 miles broad, with an uprush of 225 miles a second and attaining occasionally an elevation of 400,000 miles. All prominences, Zollner and Respighi have shown, are originally phenomena of eruption, preceded by rectilinear jets, either vertical or oblique, ascending to great heights and then seen falling back again toward the sun like the jets of our fountains. The eruptive prominences are, as Professor Young says, "generally associated with active sun spots." Since during the late eclipse these prominences were conspicuous in connection with an unusually brilliant and extended corona and great spottedness, the before seemingly established law that the corona's size and luminosity are in direct proportion to the sun's spot producing activity is strikingly corroborated.

Professor Schaeberle cabled from Chili that his eclipse observations confirm his mechanical theory of the corona, which regards this vast appendage as composed of streams of matter ejected with initial velocities of 350 miles a second from the spots by forces which are most active near the sun spot zones. Indications of such eruptive action have been often observed in the higher regions of the prominences. A further confirmation of this theory is that the corona in outline resembled that which Professor Schaeberle predicted some months ago. As far back as the eclipse of 1870 Mr. Brothers noted that "prominences were most numerous on the side of the sun where the corona was brightest," an evidence that the coronal matter is not less than that of the prominences ejected from the sun.

Mr. Proctor, discussing the observations of that eclipse, concluded: "I conceive we have now clear evidence of a form of action—but whether eruptive, electrical or repulsive is not yet obvious—exerted outward to enormous distances by the sun and with maximum energy over the spot zones, but local, variable and probably intermittent."

It will be seen, then, that Professor Schaeberle's theory, though by no means established, accords with old observations. No other explanation of the corona has been offered save that which attributes it to reflection from myriads of incandescent meteors or cosmical dust circulating around the sun. But this hypothesis has never been supported. If the corona were chiefly due to meteoric dust revolving around the sun, we should certainly expect to see it regular, and not as it generally appears, gapped, quadrilateral or four rayed, with immense wings or extensions. There seems, therefore, to be no other inference possible but that which telescopic scrutiny has long suggested—that the corona is originated and maintained by countless ejections issuing from beneath and flung through the photosphere by the sun's vertical or volcanic forces.

If the final study of the coronal photographs obtained sustain this view, science will have at least a working hypothesis for the determination of the cyclical variations of solar heat and the corresponding effects upon terrestrial temperatures and climates. The theory in question obviously opens up a new and fascinating inquiry into the anomalies of the earth's seasons which are due to variations of solar activity. We seem to be thus happily led to the very threshold of one of the grandest discoveries of modern science, which promises when developed to yield a rich harvest of practical results.

Now that most numerous and perfect photographs of all the principal appendages of the sun have been secured in Chili and Africa, astronomers should give their best energies to the study of the data. No problem they can now attack can be of greater interest or importance to science and the world.—New York Herald.

### Not Proud of His Election.

In this country when it comes to the casting of ballots the person elected to the position awarded by the suffrage of the people is always extremely proud of the result, even though he may not be especially desirous of holding office. In other countries, too, the recipient of the greatest number of ballots at the polls is apt to swell with pride over the outcome of the voting, but there is a case on record in Japan where the winner at the polls was not only sorry for his success, but came through that success subsequently to wish he had never been born. This was in the village of Awa, and the person honored, or dishonored, by the majority vote was a Jap of the name of Abi Tauihei.

It seems that the village of Awa was harrassed by a midnight robber whom nobody could detect. The head of the hamlet summoned the entire male population under his charge and directed every man to write the name of the person whom he suspected and to deposit the paper in a box. Fifteen ballots bore the name of Abi Tauihei, the rest being blanks. The man whom everybody distrusted was so much overcome with astonishment that he made a full confession and went to prison.—Harper's Young People.

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That said parties are required to answer on or before May 27, 1893.

JAMES E. WILLIAMS.

By MOTTER & MACKENZIE, his attorneys

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### ROAD NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a petition will be presented to the Commissioners of Allen county, at their next session, June, A. D. 1893, praying for the vacation of a county road on the following line, to-wit:

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On the 9th day of March, A. D. 1893, said Justice issued an order of attachment in the above entitled cause for the sum of eighty-four dollars and sixty-seven cents ($84.67).

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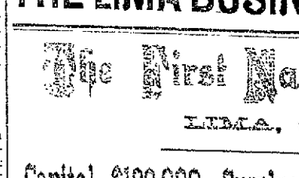

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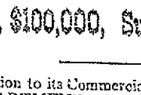

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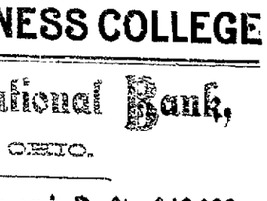

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Is simply the best drink discovered up to the present time.


### TALKS OF THE TOWN

Born, to Mr and Mrs Pat Foley, a boy

Lieutenant M D Reichelderfer left this afternoon for Findlay, where he will drill the new military company.

At Kenton last evening Captain F M Bell, of this city and Captain Beam, of of Van Wert, were nominated for Major. The election will take place Friday.

The infant child of Mr and Mrs. J B. Dever, of Bath township, died this morning. Funeral at the house at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The remains will be interred in the Dunkard cemetery

A special train of three coaches passed through on the P. F. & W. & C, this morning, containing, containing President Roberts, General Manager Wood Superintendent Law and a number of others, en route East

### ABOUT PEOPLE

**Who They Are, Where They Have Been and Are Going**

Mrs W C Tirrill is visiting in Van Wert

Miss Ada Potter has returned from a visit in Columbus

Willie Schaull, of Eureka street, is convalescent from a severe attack of measles

Mrs Eugene F Ritenour has gone to Illinois to visit her sister, Mrs Frank Cupp

Mrs O S Armstrong and son of 407 North West street, are visiting friends in Batesville

Mrs Henry Hoover, of Upper Sandusky, is the guest of Mrs John Hoover, of North West street

Mamie and Agnes Conley, of West Vine street, have returned from an extended visit at Titusville,

Senator Shriver was in the city last evening, enroute to Van Wert to see his aged father, who is very ill

Miss Maggie Lovett, of Middlepoint, is the guest of her sister, Mrs Joe Reed of North Jackson street

Mrs Dr Joachim, of New Orleans, is visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs Jacob Wise of West Market street

### ROUND ABOUT.

The wind sent back its regrets that it didn't get to toy with Morey Johnson's mustache

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The report that the mortgages on several farms east of Lima were raised by the cyclone is erroneous

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A Main street clerk, whose name is kept sub rosa for the sake of wit, says he has been forced to believe in dreaming He describes the conversion in the following words "The other night I dreamed of a conflagration, and the next day my employer fired me

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Dr A J Fish, pastor of St John's M. E church, has been invited to address the Island Park Assembly, at Rome City, Ind, some time in June Dr Fish has accepted the invitation, and will be the speaker on "G A R Day," the date of which is yet undetermined —*Toledo Blade*

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The State Christian Endeavor Convention will be held in Music Hall, Cincinnati, June 26 to 29.

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A local sportsman has a dog of such keen intelligence that he comes to a standstill every time he meets ex health officer Byrd

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The pleasant information is vouchsafed that though terrific, last night's storm did not blow the water from the water works reservoir

### Decoration Day

We will have a fine lot of cut flowers for Decoration Day, and will make the following low prices on orders placed before Monday, May 29 This is your opportunity

| | |
|---|---|
| Choice Roses | $ 75 per doz |
| Choice Carnations | 25 " " |
| Pansies | 15 " " |
| Lily of Valley, Narcissus etc | 50 " " |
| Callas | 1 00 " " |
| Peonies | 1 50 " " |
| Marguerites | 10 " " |
| Com Ferns | 5 " " |

SWAN Bros,
116 East High street.
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### Annual Election.

Meeting of Lima Typographical Union tomorrow evening at 5:30 (standard) for the election of officers. O N STROOK, Pres.
W. E LANGLEY, Secy.

# WIND.

**Heavy Storm Passes Over Lima This Morning.**

**Big Buildings Unroofed and Trees Uprooted.**

**One of Wm Pugh's Big Ice Houses Twisted Around**

**The Enormous Weight of Ten Thousand Ton Moved.**

**The Lima Gas Works the Globe Machine Works, Dunan's Factory and Other Buildings Damaged—Telegraph, Telephone and Electric Light Wires Down**

An awful tornado passed over Lima this morning, the city being very fortunate in escaping without any more damage than was sustained

It was a few minutes before six o'clock when the storm suddenly came up For several hours previous to that hour the heavens were clear and there was nothing indicating an approaching cyclone, to be seen.

The clouds gathered quickly in the west and within a very few minutes from the time they were first noticed the wind was blowing a gale and the rain coming down in torrents

The roar of the storm was heard several minutes before

ITS FURY WAS HELT

in this city It only lasted a few seconds but thousands of dollars worth of damage was done in that space of time, it being very fortunate that no lives were lost

When just over the city the storm broke Those who saw the clouds swaying backward and forward and plowing through one another, pronounce it a magificent sight and one not soon to be forgotten

After dividing, one portion of the storm went in a northeasterly direction and the other took a southeasterly course

The western portion of the city escaped with slight damage trees uprooted being about the greatest damage done.

South Lima caught the main part of the storm the greatest portion of the damage done happening south of Market street In all parts of the city trees were either twisted from their trunks or uprotted and small and light buildings upset

Electric light, telephone, fire alarm and telegraph wires, awnings, signs, etc, were twisted together and it was several hours

AFTER THE STORM HAD APATED

before everything was straightened up

Reports from out of town show that great damage was done at Ottawa, Paqua and intermediate points, and that the tornado was wide spread South of Paqua telegraph communications is entirely shut off, and at Bluffton City the Lake Shore wires are down At Ottawa several buildings were overturned but, so far as can be learned, there were no fatalities

The old wheel factory building, South Tanner street, occupied by the Lima Machine Works, was partially unroofed, while at the Lima Gas Works directly east and across the railroad track, the entire roof was taken off as clean as a skilled carpenter could have removed it At Dunan's factory, on East Elm street, the smoke stack was twisted off and a part of the roof torn away

The Globe Machine Works building was also damaged, a portion of the slate roof being torn off from the southwest corner of the structure, and part of the roof of the St James Hotel, at High and Union streets,

WAS RIPPED OFF

The portion of the storm which took the northeasterly direction, swept down upon McCullough's lake and uprooted several big trees Farther on it overturned barns and out buildings, and tore down fences and orchards on all the farms that happened to be along its path The Weaver Miller, McHenry, Lamson and Thrift farms being the heaviest sufferers A big barn on the McHenry farm was turned over, and on the Widow Miller farm a barn was also upset and two hundred chickens killed

Dan Miller, who lives about a mile and a half east of town was badly hurt during the storm, by being hit by some of the timbers of his barn, the roof of which was blown off

Pugh's big ice houses caught the full force of the storm They are located on a high piece of ground at the water works Several of the employes were inside of one of them when the storm struck the building The one the men were in was unroofed and

TWISTED SEVERAL FEET

from its original location The building contained about 10 000 ton of ice and the amount of force back of the wind can be judged

The High School building was damaged, nearly all the slate being blown from the tower and scattered all over the eastern portion of the city, some of the broken pieces being driven with such force that they were imbedded in the sides of the houses and fences against which they were blown

The path of the storm which broke and passed south struck the Coleston heirs' lot on South Main street, and twisted off a number of trees At the Selfridge Handle Factory, on the corner of Kibby and Tanner streets, the wind got under the tin roof, raised it up and rolled about half of it off The big sheet iron smoke stack was broken off the upper portion being raised up and let down through the roof

The smoke stack at Muller & Lego's foundry, just off of Main street near the C & E crossing was blown over and the spire of Grace M E Church is

TWISTED OUT OF SHAPE

The shutters of a residence on East Kibby street were open when the storm came They were blown shut with such force as to tear them from the hinges and drive them through the windows

At the Kibby street hose house a tree was blown down, carrying the telephone, electric light and fire alarm wires with it and entangling the different wires Many telephones were burned out, in consequence

The old iron fence factory, which stands on the commons opposite the C & E freight house, suffered considerable damage The wind divided the roof into two parts taking one part entirely off and displacing the other so badly that it will have to be removed before it can be repaired

At Simons brick yard, on East Kibby street great damage was done The frame

SHEDS WERE DEMOLISHED

and several million brick ruined

Engineer Jake LaRue, of the C H & D who came up with the paper train at 8 30 o'clock this morning, reports great damage done south of Lima About two miles from town a path fifty feet in width was cut through the woods as far as he could see

At the Hotel French the wind created a great deal of excitement Half of the front was out, a new one being put in, and when the wind struck the building it filled the interior and blew things about in a lively manner It did no damage, but created lots of noise

In the oil field in and about Cridersville hundreds of dollars damage was done Derricks were blown down in great numbers, and the Buckeye Pipe Line wires were torn down and communication shut off

Engineer McMonies, of the L E & W, came in on train No 8 at 9 15 o'clock this morning and reports that considerable

TIMBER WAS BLOWN DOWN

between Beaver Dam and this city, but east of that place very little damage was done along the L E & W road

A C H V & T engineer, who came into Fostoria while No 1 was there, reported a great many trees blown across the track north of that place

Railroad men from the west on the L E & W report considerable timber down and claim more damage was done to buildings in Ft Recovery than here.

At Swan's green house, southwest of the city, a big glass ventilator was

PICKED UP IN THE WIND,

carried some distance and let down again without breaking the glass

A tree was blown across the P Ft W & C tracks several miles east of town The local crew discovered it and chopped it away

The roof of W L Porter's residence corner of High and Elizabeth streets was partly raised

The smoke stack of Clutter's ware house, South Lima, was blown off, as was a chimney of the Atlantic Hotel The roof of a box car in the C & E yards was taken off, and tore down all the telegraph wires west of the depot One of the big plate glass windows in the Singer office, in the O'Connor block was broken by a sign being blown against it

Several small houses in the eastern part of the city were lifted from their foundations, but were not damaged otherwise One of the houses was on Harrison avenue and was occupied by Arthur Frisbie, but

NO ONE WAS HURT

Reports from Hume this afternoon are to the effect that a church and several residences were blow over

At Herod, east of Lima, on the C & E the roof of the mill was blown off and several barns unroofed Similar reports continued to come in during the afternoon from the country and towns about Lima, but from all that can be gathered, no one was killed, although the damage will reach thousands of dollars

### DISCOVERED.

**Sophia Fauple Makes an Attempt at Suicide**

**She is Detected in the Act of Taking Morphine and Her Death Prevented**

Sophia Fauple a 16 year old girl who has been employed as chambermaid at the Faurot House was discovered taking morphine about 8 30 o'clock last evening, and before it was taken away from her she succeeded in getting enough to keep her under its influence nearly all the night

The girl had been

A MORPHINE FIEND

for several years, but quit the habit since she went to the Faurot House about two months ago

Last night Mrs Bell saw a boy go up to the girl's room with a small bundle, and suspecting something was wrong went to the room and found the package to contain morphine, some of which the girl was in the act of taking. Mrs Bell took the remainder of the drug from her to prevent her from using it, but she had

ALREADY TAKEN ENOUGH

to produce sleep and a little more would have accomplished her design

She has been confined to her bed since she took the drug but all danger is past Landlord Bell has notified her parents, who live in South Lima, to come after her

The girl's mind seems to be weak

### A GOOD SALE

**Lima Men Pull Down a Snug Sum and Profit**

The strong advance in the price of Ohio crude has made Ohio oil territory valuable, and it is much sought after by corporations and individual producers, who are willing to pay for it

Last Saturday Wm Melville and S M Finch, of this city and Pust Bros sold their property in the Rollersville field, consisting of 1000 acres of leases, and eleven wells with a production of 100 bbls for $10 000 The Manhattan Oil Co made the purchase The price gives Mr Melvill who recently bought into the property a handsome profit

**World's Fair Rates to Chicago, Ill, Via the Baltimore & Ohio R R**

On April 25th to October 31st the Baltimore & Ohio railroad will sell excursion tickets to Chicago, Ill at very low rates on account of the World's Columbian Exposition, to be held May 1st to October 31st, 1893

Tickets will be good for return passage to and including November 5th, 1893

For further information call on or address any B & O ticket agent or L S Allen, Ass't Gen'l Passgr Agent, Chicago, Ill

### AMONG THE RAILROADS

A CHURCH ON WHEELS

A novel car a church on wheels has lately been turned out of the shops of Barney & Smith, of Dayton, Ohio The car is seventy four feet in length rests on six wheeled trucks, and in the chapel ninety four people can be seated Out pulpit is constructed of hammered brass In the car there is an organ and library In one end is a well provided kitchen, a neat bed room and all about the construction of the car is simple yet very elegant In front of the desk appears the following, "A Sister's Memorial to Miss Henrietta Capen whose entire life was devoted to the work of the Master The car which is sent out by the American Tract Publication society was dedicated at Denver Col, yesterday and will be used at points on the railways of Colorado where are no churches The car bears the name Emanuel"

NOTES

The new C & E time card will not take effect until Sunday, June 4th

Yesterday afternoon west bound passenger train No 9 on the P F W & C, was run in two sections on account of heavy World's Fair travel

Local Conductor Lipsett, of the P F W & C is back on his run after a several days lay off, and Conductor Gus Kilgore, who has been running local in his place has gone back to through freight

*Mrs Sarah Muir*
Of Minneapolis

## For Women

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**Female Weakness**

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### CITY COUNCIL.

**An Effort to Increase the Paving Committee Fails**

**The Street Committee Recommend Radical Retrenchment, and Will Investigate Further**

Ten members of Council faced duty last night in spite of the excessive heat wave, and after approving the minutes of the previous meeting, made short work of the routine business, and miscellaneous matters

Property owners along Cole street, from Elm to North streets, petitioned for the improvement thereof Referred to street committee

Property owners on East Kibby Kibby street petitioned for a 12 inch sewer Referred to sewer committee

Property owners on the south side of Kibby street, between Scott and Pine, asked that the street be improved by sand stone walks, the same to be paid for by the sale of bonds Referred to sidewalk committee and engineer, to see if all the property was represented

The Chief of Police reported three arrests for the week It was received and filed

NOT READY TO BUY

The Solicitor read a statement from the finance committee in which they stated that they were not ready to purchase the improvement bonds The Solicitor stated that this was in compliance with the statutes

Notice of the sale of bonds was authorized published for thirty days

A communication was read from the Secretary of the Water Works Board, saying that they would advance ten thousand dollars toward the payment of bond interest. The communication was received and the Solicitor authorized to reduce the water works levy four tenths of a mill

The Solicitor notified Council of the dangerous condition of East Market street bridge, and the Engineer was requested to see if the bridge could be strengthened, and report at next meeting

The Solicitor asked that the Street and Finance Committees investigate the damages done to the Stump property, at the corner of Pearl and Union street, by the digging down for the Union street tunnel

Upon motion the Clerk was instructed to present a bill of $10 to the Ohio Telephone Co to pay for the publication of ordinances

Mr Dietrich amended the report by stating that it was to take effect June 1st, after which it was adopted

STREET COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

The street committee made the following report

To the Honorable City Council

Gentlemen—Owing to the new evidence that the committee has been advised of we are not prepared to make any report in reference to the street force and we would kindly ask council to grant us one more week for investigation We would recommend that the street force be cut down to five teams and six men and that the pay be fixed at $3 per day for each team and driver and that each team be required to haul one and one half yards of earth stone or dirt for every load We also recommend that each driver be required to help load and unload the same as any other man on the force in the performance of a day's labor We also recommend that the pay for the street force be fixed at $1 0 per day and that none but good men who are able to perform a good and honest day's work be employed We also recommend that the street commissioner be required to render an accurate and full account of all stone and lumber and other materials used by him for the city for the improvement of streets and alleys in the city of Lima and to present the same to the city council at the first meeting of every month By this means council will be able to keep themselves informed as to improvements and expenditures on the street force and can be prepared to take any act or necessary, also and render to council an itemized amount of receipts and expenditures at the end of every month STREET COMMITTEE

J Dietrich, Chairman

The Solicitor reported that he would not upon the Engineer's report recommend the improvement asked for on Watt avenue

Mrs M S Beeman complained of a sewer that crossed her property and the same was referred to the Sewer Committee

Frank Fauts was given permission to use building material on West Market street

John O Conner complained that the drop in the alley next to his property on North Main street, was stopped up The same complaint was made with reference to drop in front of Seiferd's place on South Main, and at the Pine street school house The Street Commissioner was instructed to clean all drops and raise the grade of those that were too low

Mr Dietrich stated that Mr Heitzler had two houses on Harrison avenue the cellars of which are flooded, and he wished to move that Mr Heitzler be granted permission to put in private sewer Carried

The Engineer was instructed to notify Mr Plower to cease taking dirt from Maple Lane to fill his lot

At request of the Mayor Mr Harry Johnson was confirmed as merchants police, to assist McCullough Bros at their new summer resort

SIDEWALKS

Mr Greenland "It seems to be the opinion of most persons that the paving committee be increased There is too much work for two I therefore move that the committee be increased

Mr, Bryan suggested that the chair fill the vacancy caused by the absence of Mr Jackson That would make the committee three which was enough

Mr Hughes objected to the enlargement of the committee A small committee was better than a large one Mr Jackson he understood, would be home in June Some imputations had been made that there was something behind the position taken by him and Mr Bryan against an increase of the committee He wished it understood that he did not intend to rest under it

The discussion ended in a motion authorizing the President of council to appoint a member in the place of Mr Jackson

An ordinance establishing the grade of Holly street was read the first time

An ordinance granting the Western Union Telegraph Co the right of certain streets for the use of their poles and wires was read the first time

Mr D Bell presented a bill against policeman Baker, asking, that council protect him It was referred to the Mayor with instructions to see that Baker settle his bills

O B Selfridge jr, presented a bill of $200 for damages arising from the Street Commissioner taking dirt from his property to repair the streets Referred to Engineer and Street Committee

The City Clerk reported that he had received $130 0 from the Street Commissioner to apply to the road fund

Mr Hughes spoke of the bad condition of sidewalks on West High street Referred to Engineer and Sidewalk Committee

The Clerk was instructed to notify property owners on West Market street to reset their curb to grade

Sidewalks on West High and Wayne streets were referred to the Engineer and Sidewalk Committee

WANTS HIS MONEY

The Mayor complained of the slowness of council in allowing bills for the transportation of prisoners to Dayton He had to advance the money, and then carry the orders a thing he did not like It was not business His bills that had been referred to the Finance Committee were allowed He was then instructed to have his police enforce the whistling ordinance and thus ended the evenings work


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### G A R Notice

The Committee on Invitations appointed by the G A R, W R C and S of V cordially invite all all old soldiers, sailors and marines within our midst, together with all citizens and friends, to join them in memorial service to our noble dead on Sunday morning, May 28th, 1893, at 10 30 a m, in the First Congregational church, Lima The Post, Women's Relief Corps and Sons of Veterans, together with all invited guests who desire to join us, will meet at Memorial Hall Sunday morning, May 28th, at 9 30 a m, sharp, to march to the church in a body The memorial service will be preached by Rev J Frances Davies. By order of Committee

C MAYO, Chairman

### THIRTY FEET

**A Sweet Little Babe Falls to Its Death**

About 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon the eighteen months old girl babe of Mr and Mrs D W Shrawder, who live on the third floor of the O'Connor block met with an awful accident

Mrs Shrawder had gone down the rear stairway, leaving her babe in the hall The tot, who had just commenced to walk, started after its mother, and when it reached the second stairway, it slipped and fell between the building and stairway, striking a window sill in its descent into the cellarway about thirty five feet below

The babe was picked up, insensible and bleeding and medical attention summoned, but the babe died about 9 o'clock last night

The funeral services will be held from the house at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon

**Great Bargains for To morrow**

A 32 inch wash Fabric worth 10 and 12½c per yard will be sold 10 yards for 49c

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### GRAIN MARKET

The following gives the Chicago grain market for today

| | Open | Highest | Lowest | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat— | | | | |
| July | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| September | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Corn— | | | | |
| July | 41 [illegible] | [illegible] | 40 [illegible] | 41⅛ |
| September | [illegible] | 41½ | [illegible] | 42 |
| Oats— | | | | |
| July | [illegible] | 28 [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| September | 29⅞ | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Pork— | | | | |
| July | $21 [illegible] | $21 90 | $21 70 | $21 90 |
| September | [illegible] | 21 40 | [illegible] | [illegible] |

BUCHANAN BROS & CO


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